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LADIES

YOU KNOW HOW DIFFICULT IT IS
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- Something that he would appreciate.
- Something out of the ordinary—as for instance
- A Lapis Lazuli Ring in an octagon setting, or
- A solid gold Pocket Knife, or
- A pair of Cuff Buttons, set in grey cat's eyes to match a grey suit, or
- A Topaz Cravat Pin to match a brown tie, or
- The new model Waltham Watch, just out, and the thinnest made in this country, with a gold dial.
- These goods are now being carried in the swellest jewelry houses in the larger cities. My stock now compares favorably with these houses.

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Clarence E. Daniels, Jeweler

The Courier-Gazette.

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ALL THE HOME NEWS

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I love to think that Christian friendship may be part of the business of eternity.—Dr. Arnold.

The Senate has re-elected William P. Frye of Maine president pro tem.

The Republican national convention will probably be held in Chicago the first week in June, but Kansas City is making a strong bid for it.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan, who is an enthusiastic Y. M. C. A. worker, took a prominent part in the discussions of the international convention recently held at Washington. He is said to have put all the fire, eloquence and ability of which he is capable into his speeches and that his influence was felt throughout all the convention.

So attractive intrinsically and so pleasantly suggestive is the emblem of a red cross on a white ground that it has been extensively adopted by persons and institutions having no right to employ it. The design appears on articles of merchandise, hospital ambulances and even on advertising cards. Against this practice a protest has just been offered by the executive committee of the organization which alone is authorized to sanction any use of the emblem in this country, the American National Red Cross. In the majority of cases, no doubt, the offenders have failed to realize that they were committing an act of piracy, but such is the case, and now that attention is called to the matter they have no adequate excuse. The red cross was

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We banish alcohol from our medicines
We urge you to consult your doctor

Who makes the best liver pills? The J. C. Ayer Company, of Lowell, Mass. They have been making Ayer's Pills for over sixty years. If you have the slightest doubt about using these pills, ask your doctor. Do as he says, always.

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adopted for specific purposes by an international society engaged in benevolent work in war and peace, and in a moral sense it is the exclusive property of the organization.

"When eggs get in the neighborhood of 40 cents a dozen and butter climbs to 35 and 40 cents people always want to know what the cause is," said a New Jersey farmer to a Dock street merchant the other day. "They think we are trying to bleed them, but if they really knew the truth they wouldn't have much to say, I believe. Of course, you fellows here on Dock street know the causes, but the ordinary person doesn't. Do you know why eggs are scarce? It's not because the hens are not working as hard as usual. Some may be taking a vacation, it's true, but it's because the farmers are saving their eggs for incubators. About this time of the year the poultry raisers collect all the fresh eggs they can and pile them into the patent setting hens. You ask why they do this? Well, it's a simple proposition. It takes three weeks to the day for eggs to hatch out. As soon as you get chickens you begin to feed them to beat everything. The brooders, in which they are kept in winter to keep them warm, are fairly alive with the little fellows, and by stuffing them with corn and wheat we soon have chickens as big as squabs and kill them for broilers. You know what they are—the highest kind of chicken meat. You can't blame the farmers for hoarding their eggs when you know the profit there is in broilers. Then you get as much a pound as you get for dozen eggs at 40 cents a dozen. It's only the law of supply and demand which makes eggs high, as everything else. Let all the farmers turn all their eggs into market and you will see the price come down; let them keep their eggs for hatching and up goes the price. It's simple when you know the truth."—Philadelphia Record.

DEBATES WAX ELOQUENT.

On Question of Whether Uncle Sam Should Send Fleet to the Pacific.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Debating Society held last Wednesday evening was by far the most interesting one of the season. The speakers were Clifford B. Butler and Frank B. Miller for the affirmative and Frank H. Ingraham and Judge L. R. Campbell for the negative. The subject for discussion was: "Resolved, that the movement of the United States battleships to the Pacific coast of our country should meet our approval."

The affirmative took the ground that the seas were for vessels of war as for vessels of commerce and that the United States has a perfect right to send its vessels where it sees fit. This movement of the fleet had no political significance, Japan seems to have the friendliest feelings for this country and is not in a position to go to war as her treasury is depleted from the effects of her recent war with Russia. The men and officers of the navy must have practice and the ships must be tried and this trip is just the thing to increase the efficiency of both. We are not showing more of a warlike spirit to Japan than we are to Russia or China or to any other country bordering upon the Pacific coast.

The negative contended that there were at least three prominent reasons and many minor ones which should prohibit the sending of the fleet to the Pacific. The enormous cost that this movement of the fleet will entail must be considered. There is the danger of leaving the Atlantic fleet unprotected from foreign foes. The greatest danger lies in provoking Japan to hostilities for if she honestly thinks that we are menacing her in any way she would be justified in taking steps accordingly. Our attitude is something like this:

We don't want to fight, But if we do, We have the ships, And we have the money too.

Judge Campbell closed the debate with a fine burst of eloquence and showed that he has lost none of his ability as a public speaker. The subject for debate tomorrow night will be: "Resolved, that the intervention of President Roosevelt in the affairs of Japan and Russia was ill timed and inimical to the repose of nations." Gen. J. P. Cilley and Frank Crandon will speak upon the affirmative while E. K. Gould and G. B. Butler will hold up the negative side of the question.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itchy legs. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

Those Delicious Lemon Pies

The kind that "make your mouth water" are easily made with no fussing and at the least possible expense if you use "OLD-PIE" preparation. It is put up in air-tight packages and contains the right proportions of the choicest ingredients. Guaranteed under the Pure Food Laws. Don't hesitate. Try "OLD-PIE" today and then tell us friends. At groups 10 cents. Each package makes six pies. Three boxes, Lemon, Chocolate and Custard.

Max Pemberton, the novelist, has written in "The Amateur Motorist" a book full of anecdote, information and suggestion. We are interested in his conviction that the motorist of tomorrow will not care very much about speed. He believes that the days of "sixty miles an hour" are over. "Even the speed maniac," he says, "is quickly tamed nowadays; while the same man has come to see that thirty miles an hour is the comfortable gait and that anything more, if persisted in, is but a short cut to suicide."

The leading feature of the December number of Suburban Life is an article by Booker T. Washington on "Christmas in Old Virginia." This is of particular interest, as it takes up several of the old customs of the plantation Christmas which are now practically forgotten, such as the corn-shucking, which usually preceded Christmas by a week or two, and the cutting of the Yule Log for the next year, which wound up the Christmas festivities.

Bring your orders for printing of all kinds to the COURIER-GAZETTE Office. Everything up-to-date in paper, stock and type.

Chats on Books.

One of the painful recollections of a press clipping bureau is of the note addressed to T. B. Macaulay in care of the American publishers of a new edition of "The History of England," urgently requesting an order for clippings of notices of his "new work."

"Daniel Steele," who contributes to the Christmas Century "The Day of the Game: A Football Reverie," is the nom de guerre of a well-known college player, and his vivid sketch, with its flavor of personal experience, will stir the blood of any one who has ever been interested in the game.

A two-color drawing of Santa Claus adorns the front cover of the December American Boy. The stories and articles in this number will delight not only the boys but their elders as well. The fascinating story of Jimmy Jones—Pirate is continued for two chapters, as is also that Dillingham Boy, by Oliver Optic. J. T. Trowbridge's serial, The Boy and The Boat, increases in interest, and Off the Reservation, by Edward S. Ellis, is brought to a conclusion.

Recollections of "Kate Greenaway, Friend of Children," appear in the December Century from Oliver Locker-Lampson, whose acquaintance with Miss Greenaway began "at the age of two," the artist visiting the writer's family intimately once or twice every year. Mr. Locker-Lampson gives his most intimate and vivid memory of this friend of children as her childlike spirit, "which, since it dominated every other attribute of her nature, influenced all she thought and said and did." Reproductions of some hitherto unpublished drawings by Miss Greenaway accompany the sketch.

When "Dodo" appeared some fourteen years ago, it was greeted with consternation and delight. It was so utterly audacious, frivolous, and cheerful; so unlike anything to be expected from the son of an archbishop. But a good deal of water has flowed under the bridges since then, and Mr. E. F. Benson has taken his place among the serious novelists of England. His new book "Sheaves," which Doubleday, Page & Co. publish, is a full-grown novel which paints real people in real and serious situations, and takes firm hold of the sympathies of its readers. It will mark an important stage in the evolution of a novelist.

The Longfellow House in Boston, Maine, has been closed for the winter with a registration of nearly ten thousand visitors this year. These figures are proof of Longfellow's preeminent place as a poet of the people, for no other American poet's boyhood home is so sought by enthusiastic pilgrims. Longfellow's publishers, Houghton, Mifflin & Co., have brought out two new volumes of his work this season: one, the famous story of "Paul and Silvere's Ride," issued for the first time in a separate volume, with appropriate illustrations and decorations; and the other, a beautiful little edition of "Longfellow's Sonnets," now for the first time collected.

What is the un wisdom of cultivated people today? It is, in the opinion of the London Spectator, that they read too much and think too little, "looking too exclusively to books for intellectual light and not sufficiently to intercourse with other minds. Immense intellectual profit arises from the exchange of ideas. Unfortunately, the present fashion in talk is trivial. Men talk less seriously and less ably than they think. Consequently they learn little from each other. They do not offer nor ask instruction. The very word calls forth a contemptuous smile. They confide in paper, and pass round their knowledge in print. Too often the record is sterile and worthless for want of the original and contributory thought of other minds, and an experience which might have been fruitful in ideas serves only to increase the congestion of our bookshelves. We hear a great deal about the rubbish that is read today. It is the natural result of the rubbish that is talked."

The history of the great postal reform planned, and after long striving, established by Sir Rowland Hill is well told in "Sir Rowland Hill: The Story of a Great Reform," published by A. Wessex Company. It is a story which being now almost forgotten, deserves to be told afresh, as it shows what one resolute, clear-headed man can accomplish; and, further, how vast, not to say revolutionary, a change was made when the clumsy old postal system was swept away and the new one put in its place. The chapters relating to Sir Rowland's official life have been partly supervised by his son, may be depended upon for accuracy and the narrative as a whole has the personal touches which come from the close intimacy of a daughter. A characteristic anecdote: To the post office of that time, tiny Ambleside, came one day a well-to-do man to buy a stamp to put on the letter he was about to post. "Is this new reform going to last?" he asked the postmaster. "Certainly," was the reply; "it is quite established." "Oh, well, then," said the man, resolved to give the thing generous support, "give me three stamps!"

YOUR FAVORITE POEM

The Retreat.

Happy these early days, when I
Slept in my Angel-lanquor
Before I understood this place
Appointed for my second race
Or taught my soul to fancy
That a white, celestial thought
When yet I had not walk'd above
A mile or two from my first love
And looking back, at that short space
Could see a glimpse of his bright face
When on some gilded cloud or flower
My gazing soul would dwell an hour,
And in those weaker glories spy
Some shadow of eternity
Before I taught my tongue to wound
My conscience with a harsh sound,
Or had the black art to dispense
A several sin to every sense,
But felt through all the body dress
Bright shoots of everlastingness.

O how I long to travel back
And tread again that ancient track!
That I might once more reach that plain
Where first I left my glorious train
From whence the "mild" spirit sees
The shady City of Parnassus!
But all they said with too much stay
Is drunk, and sluggers in the way—
Some men a forward motion love,
But I by backward steps would move;
And when this dust falls to the urn,
In that state I came, return.

A healthy man is a man in his own right; an unhealthy man is a man in his own right; a healthy man builds up sound health—keeps you well.

Fill the Christmas

Stocking at Purington's

Our rare assortment is very suggestive. Handsome in design, fully guaranteed, new conceptions in artistic Jewelry, that show skill in production and stand the real merit. Gifts in Precious Stones, Diamonds, Pearls, Rubies, Sapphires, etc.

Silverware—all the leading patterns—Bric-a-brac to beautify the home—Novelties in rare variety—Watches—many makes—a superb gift for either sex.

Come in and look around, we can show you a thousand and one things.

PURINGTON, Jeweler
ROCKLAND

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AN ATTRACTIVE LIST OF
PRESENTS FOR MEN
IN JEWELRY AND SILVERWARE

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| Canes | Paper Cutters |
| Card Cases | Pencils |
| Card Holders | Pen Trays |
| Cigar Cases | Pocket Knives |
| Cigar Trays | Razors |
| Cigar Cutters | Razor Straps |
| Cigarette Cases | Collapsing Cups |
| Clothes Brushes | Cork Screws |
| Cuff Links | Shaving Cups |
| Cuff Buttons | Shoe Horns |
| Dressing Cases | Smoker's Sets |
| Hair Brushes | Soap Boxes |
| Hat Brushes | Ink Stands |
| Hat Marks | Key Chains |
| Scarf Pins | Key Rings |
| Emblem Pins and Charms | Lockets |
| Shaving Brushes | Manicure Articles |
| Match Boxes | Toilet Goods |
| Mirrors | Traveling Ink Stands |
| Military Brushes | Traveling Cups |
| Umbrellas | Watches |
| Tobacco Jars | Watch Chains |
| Thermometers | Whisk Brooms |

DIAMONDS, PRECIOUS STONES & STERLING SILVERWARE
Engraving Done. We engrave our own goods free of charge.

G. W. PALMER & SON
ROCKLAND, MAINE

FOR ALL THIS WEEK

We must have the space for our Holiday Goods. Some offer an opportunity that should not be overlooked. These goods guaranteed to be all right—only the cartons being wet a little.

We quote a few prices just to illustrate what bargains we have.

	Regular Price	Sale Price
Foley's Cough Syrup	25c and 50c	19c and 39c
True's Pin Worm Elixir	35c and 50c	27c and 35c
Father John's Medicine	50c and \$1.00	39c and 79c
One Minute Cough Cure	25c and 50c	19c and 39c
Red Clover Blossom	25c	17c
Orino Laxative	50c	37c
Witch Hazel Salve	25c	15c
Cream of Rose and Almond	25c	17c

and many other things on which like cuts are made.

Big line of Hair Brushes, Combs, Tooth Brushes,—all nice goods and fresh stock on which we have greatly reduced the prices

FOR THIS WEEK

but come early while the assortment is large.

F. H. CALL, Druggist

364 MAIN STREET, ROCKLAND, MAINE

CAMDEN SAVINGS BANK

ROCKPORT, MAINE

This bank aims to be the most conservative in Knox County
Safety—First—and best dividend return consistent, NEXT
Money saved, means cash when needed
Why not open an account NOW

INTEREST—FIRST OF EACH MONTH

..New England Clothing House..

Useful Christmas Gifts For Men and Boys

THIS WHOLE STORE IS A VERITABLE CHRISTMAS TREE OF GIFTS

NECKWEAR

We are showing twice the assortment and in every way the most attractive line of Neckwear to be found in any one store in the city.



HOUSE COATS

There is nothing that would please a man so much as a House Coat. We have the newest ideas in House Coats—the smartest coats to be had. Prices range from \$4.00 to \$6.00



BATH ROBES

In all grades and at very low prices

Sweaters

Enormous stock of Men's, Women's, Boys' and Children's Sweaters of every desirable shade

Gloves and Mittens

Dress Gloves, Driving Gloves, Street Gloves, Gloves for the business man—a combination of style and comfort—Kid, Buck, Reindeer and Scotch Wool Gloves. Gloves lined with Silk, Angora, Squirrel and Lamb.

A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF

Silk and Cashmere Mufflers
Initial Handkerchiefs

In Silk, Linen and Japanese

UMBRELLAS

A great variety of LADIES' SILK AND ENGLISH GLORIA UMBRELLAS mounted on pearl handles, with gold and silver trimmings, also Gentlemen's and Ladies' Umbrellas with handles of natural wood, horn and ebony.

FANCY BRACES IN INDIVIDUAL BOXES
FINE HOSIERY

Collars, Cuffs, Hathaway White and Fancy Shirts.

RAIN COATS, UNDERWEAR

HATS, FUR AND CLOTH CAPS, ETC.

BOYS' CLOTHING

LARGEST AND MOST BRILLIANT DISPLAY of Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Reefers we have ever shown which we offer at EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

Mens' Suits and Overcoats

OUR STOCK IS NOW AT ITS BEST and we would advise our customers to make selections at the earliest convenient time in order to secure the most desirable styles, qualities and values.

Burpee & Lamb
NEW ENGLAND CLOTHING HOUSE

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With a few rare and remote exceptions the most cheering reports regarding the financial situation are coming in. It does not take long for a country like Uncle Sam's to recover its equilibrium, and there are now many indications that the Christmas season will be observed in its proper spirit. The situation finds its reflection in the following letter which a well known Maine street firm has just received from a wholesale concern with which it has extensive dealings:

Your credit is good and it will remain good if you will be one to help our country in the present business depression. At heart our deal old land is as sound as a dollar. Be cheerful and happy even if the financial shoe does pinch a bit. Keep on smiling! We are not going to the dogs. We are going to weather the "73," "84," and "93" and with everybody pulling the right way we will make 1907 ashamed of itself. Talk confidence, and feel that way. Keep your money in the banks and put more in. The banks are as good as they ever were. Above everything do not become a pessimist, and do not worry. If you do, your competitor will be the gainer. Just use common sense, in your own business, and be contented. No wind ever blew one way all the time. I am ready to open an account with you and I am hit about as badly as anyone, with all my financial resources tied up in suspended banks. Give me your hand and I will give you mine; let it be a strong pull and a pull together, while we sing the Star Spangled Banner.

The next Republican national convention will be held in Chicago, June 16, at which place and on which date the next incumbent of the Presidential chair will be named. Who that candidate will be is a subject which has many millions of people guessing. That President Roosevelt would be the overwhelming choice of the whole country is idle to gainsay, the consideration of other candidates being almost wholly due to the oft-repeated assertion that Mr. Roosevelt would not accept a renomination. The Republican national committee, in session at Washington last week, confessed itself nonplussed, but the Roosevelt found comfort in the fact that it was not confronted with a final and official edict that the President was not to be considered. A Washington despatch to the New York Tribune says that 10 Southern states, and possibly two others, will send their delegates to the national convention with instructions to vote for President Roosevelt regardless of his wishes. Meanwhile the Taft boom is making some headway and Hughes sentiment is cropping out at intervals in various parts of the country. Prophets with reputations at stake will do well to bide another month.

In these days when the columns of the home newspaper are surcharged with advertising it is not difficult to understand the absence of many news matters. Yet we cannot help wondering if the Opinion would have omitted a report of the Portland election had that city gone Democratic instead of so overwhelmingly Republican.

CHOSE NEW PRESIDENT.

North Bank Names N. A. Farwell As Hon. S. M. Bird's Successor—Long Training As Banker.

At the regular meeting of the directors, yesterday morning, Nathan T. Farwell was elected president of one of the oldest and strongest financial institutions in the city—the North National Bank. This bank was organized in 1854 with John Bird as president, and Stephen N. Hatch, cashier, and the latter was succeeded in office by Mr. Farwell, who served acceptably for 19 consecutive years. At the end of this period Mr. Farwell resigned his office on account of ill health. By the request of President Sidney M. Bird, and the directors, who know his ability and value in the affairs of the bank, Mr. Farwell was immediately elected a director, and has since served in this position. During the past three years he has been chairman of the executive committee of the board of directors, and has proved a strong assistant with the late Col. E. R. Spear, in conducting the affairs of the bank.

He is the fourth president, having succeeded John Bird, Adoniram J. Bird and Sidney M. Bird. These predecessors were a part of the strongest and most successful business interests in the city, and Mr. Farwell enjoyed a rare opportunity for receiving his training in methods of the successful management of a national bank.

Mr. Farwell belongs to one of the most prominent families in Rockland, a son of the late Hon. N. A. Farwell, is a man of quiet tastes and habits, but of that conservative and strong temperament which will continue to hold the North National Bank as one of the solid institutions of the city.

BANGOR WANTS LIBBY.

A feature of the annual meetings held Thursday evening by the members of Hannibal Hamlin and B. H. Beale G. A. R. posts of Bangor, was the endorsement given by the veterans to the candidacy of Hon. Thomas G. Libby of Vinalhaven, who aspires to the position of department commander, a position which he will attain if the wishes of the G. A. R. men of this section are realized, says the Bangor Commercial.

ODD FELLOWS RESPONDED.

Nearly 150 of Them Answered Last Night's Roll Call—An Interesting Retrospect By Secretary Miller.

At the annual roll-call of Knox Lodge of Odd Fellows last night 123 members responded in person and 25 by letter. The roll was called by George N. Hardin, financial secretary, and the letters were read by Frank B. Miller, recording secretary.

The meeting opened with second degree work upon John H. Dodge, Earl to Garland and Charles E. Colony. An account of the lodge's stewardship for the past year and a retrospective glance at its career, was given in a very entertaining manner by Frank B. Miller. From it we quote the following:

Knox Lodge was instituted Aug. 5, 1875, with five charter members, namely: George O. Payson, Charles A. Libby, J. W. Smalley, R. H. Burpee and G. H. Dutton. Payson was the first Noble Grand and was followed in order by Libby, Dutton, Smalley and Burpee. The lodge has since that time been a constant attendant on our meetings, but he has shown up, after a long vacation, with the regularity of that annual and ever-welcome visitor, the Old Farmers' Almanac.

The first ten who became members after the institution of the lodge were George R. Newbert, Aaron Howes, Leonard H. Parker, Oliver Otis, Eugene W. Palmer, George W. Hicks, Warren Whitcomb, C. E. Burpee, Walter H. Thordike and Wendell P. Rice. Of this number, three only retain membership—Otis, the versatile and militant editor of the Opinion; Palmer, a well-known and substantial business man of this city; and Hicks, for many years a constant attendant on our meetings, but whose health of late years has been somewhat impaired.

There have been 754 initiations, admissions by cards, etc., and with the addition of the charter members, the roll of membership discloses 759 names. The present membership is about 465. We still maintain our proud position of being the largest in the jurisdiction of Maine. Penobscot, No. 7, of Bangor, is a close second with a membership of 429.

The year, on the whole, has been a fairly prosperous one. The number of new members is 15 against 39 last year, and the number of degrees conferred is 49 to 105 in 1906. The initiations for the year to date is as follows: Ellis A. Sprague, Malcolm McLeod, Adelbert Jameson, Harry B. Bradbury, Warren J. McFadden, Roland A. Sukenforth, Alfred B. Lamb, Chester F. Rockliff, Fred H. Closson, Dr. Joseph W. Wilde, Jr., H. H. Dodge, Earl M. Garland, Charles E. Colony, Ralph W. Richards, Walter S. Tripp and Wilder C. Winslow. All have become full fledged members excepting Dodge, Garland and Colony.

To give members an adequate idea what the order is doing in the way of distributing relief, etc., I will present, in part, the report of the preceding year. Number of members relieved, 40; number of weeks benefits paid, 631; amounts paid for sick benefits, \$1571; paid for funeral benefits and expenses, \$175; paid for watching with the sick, \$59; paid for special relief and charity, \$80; total amount paid for relief, \$1885; expenses separate from benefits, \$631; charities, \$15,609; annual receipts, \$9601; value of hall property, \$2800; cash and invested funds, \$16,796.

During the last 25 years, 841 brothers have been relieved, 63 have died, 6922 weeks benefits paid, and \$25,854 paid out for relief.

In the early part of the year new and complete paraphernalia was purchased at an expense of about \$600.

The elective officers of the year are L. C. Jackson, N. G.; Elden S. Simmons, V. G.; Frank B. Miller, Rec. Sec.; George N. Hardin, Fin. Sec.; John Simpson, Treasurer. The surviving past grands are as follows: R. H. Burpee, Chas. E. Burpee, George W. Hicks, E. W. Berry, John Colson, J. B. Howard, H. O. Gurdy, A. R. Ripley, A. C. Hamilton, John Simpson, W. F. Manson, C. H. Moor, F. C. Flint, A. A. Beaton, Wm. O. Abbott, Obadiah Gardner, George N. Hardin, J. H. Williamson, Jonathan Crockett, O. B. Lovejoy, C. W. Livingston, E. B. Eastman, G. H. Blethen, M. A. Johnson, C. C. Cross, Oliver Otis, H. C. Clark, C. E. Tuttle, Livingston A. Gray, Joseph J. Veale, Almon P. Head, John A. Karl, Paul Sawyer, James A. Spear, Frank B. Miller and Frank F. Harding.

Taking into consideration the large membership, the mortality list has been unusually small this year, only three members having crossed the "Great Divide"—Ephraim V. Allen, Benjamin F. French and Marcellus M. Parker.

Knox Lodge through its benefactions and by the character and good conduct of its members, is a potent force for good in the community. It commands the respect and invites the confidence of all good people.

The following toasts were then responded to, Mr. Miller acting as toastmaster: "The Subordinate Lodge," Oliver Otis; "A Good Odd Fellow," Gilford B. Butler; "Our Roll Call," Rev. L. L. Harris of Waldoboro, grand chaplain. Oliver B. Lovejoy was prevented from being one of the speakers by illness in his family. Brief remarks were also made by Judge Campbell, F. M. Shaw, W. J. Caddy, E. W. Palmer, Edmond Wade, E. B. Spear and Dr.

HOLIDAY GIFTS

For Every Member of the Family

There is nothing like getting something useful in buying presents—something that will be appreciated. We have a Fine stock of the useful kind, and at prices that are astonishing. In fact we are continuing the big reductions made in our smoke and water sale of clothing, boots, shoes and furnishing goods.

Read these prices:

Arm Elastics in glass boxes, worth 25c a box, for 10c
Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, all initials, 10c, 3 pairs 25c
The latest thing in Colored Silk Handkerchiefs, worth 50c, for 29c
Undressed Kid Gloves for gentlemen, worth \$1.25, for 79c
Silk Mufflers, black and white, large sizes, worth 75c, for 59c
All Wool Underwear, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, for 85c

Crown Shoe for men, in box calf and patent colt, all sizes, worth \$3.50, for \$1.98
Suspenders, worth 25c, for 10c a pair
Boys' Suspenders, 3 pairs for 25c
Woolen Mitts. Leather Mitts and Gloves, for men, 21c
Sweaters for men, all wool, worth \$1.25, for 69c
Christmas Neckwear, 19c, 25c, 39c
Tam o' Shanters, worth 50c, for 29c
Caps, fur lined, worth \$1.00, for 29c

The place where you get more for your money than anywhere else in the city

Guarantee Clothing Co.

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Wilde. It was planned to have these in the form of 2-minute speeches but they did not all qualify in the 2-minute class, as the toastmaster jokingly remarked.

After all the other business had been transacted the members discussed the merits of a most excellent supper.

KNOX COUNTY MINISTERS.

The ministers of Knox county met at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday at 9.30 a. m.

There were 15 present, representing the various denominations. A temporary organization was effected with Rev. E. M. Cousins of Thomaston as chairman and Rev. E. H. Chapin of Rockland, secretary. It was voted to form a permanent organization and a committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws to be presented at the next meeting. Rev. Mr. Chapin read a sermon on "Religion in Business and Business in Religion." After an informal discussion of the sermon by those present the meeting adjourned.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The season of GIFT GIVING is at hand and the CAREFUL BUYER generally wants to know where they can spend their money to the best advantage, getting a fair equivalent in return.

What is more acceptable than a nice piece of China-ware or Bric-a-brac. We have thousands of pretty and useful articles, particularly selected with the view of making excellent CHRISTMAS GIFTS, ranging in prices from 25c to \$10.00.

Our stock consists of

FINE IMPORTED CHINA, RICH CUT GLASS, SALAD SETS, CHOP PLATES, ROOL TRAYS, COMB AND BRUSH TRAYS, CHOCOLATE SETS, FRUIT BOWLS, NUT BOWLS, BISCUIT JARS, SUGAR AND CREAM SETS, HAIR RECEIVERS, CUPS AND SAUCERS, JEWEL BOXES, FANCY CHINA, Etc.

Of special interest is our line of hand painted Japanese China-ware, Vases and odd pieces. No such an assortment has ever been shown in this vicinity. We also call special attention to our lines of Imported AUSTRIAN GLASSWARE in Wine and Water Sets.

Domestic Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets in great variety.

LAMPS, in shapes and colorings according to taste.

Dolls and Children's Play Dishes in Sets, Prices—25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Visit this BUSY STORE (even if you have no intention to buy) and see on every hand unmistakable evidences of vitality.

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WE ARE OFFERING this year for Xmas Gifts the finest assortment of goods at the lowest prices ever shown in Rockland.

Everything in the Jewelry line—Watches, Rings, Chains, Stick Pins, etc. Fine Silverware, China and Cut Glass. We call special attention to our Stationery Department. Xmas boxes of all description. Our line of Gent's Pocket Books is complete and we can suit any size pocket.

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Obituary.

MRS. A. W. BREWSTER.

Nina C., wife of A. Walker Brewster, died at her home on Maple street Friday forenoon after eight days' illness of pneumonia, aged 30 years. Deceased was a native of Stockton, being a daughter of Josiah and Mary (Staples) Parsons. She was married to Mr. Brewster 10 years ago. As the result of that union there is one child, Margaret E., six years of age, and it was in the tender and faithful care of that daughter that Mrs. Brewster contracted her fatal illness. Deceased was a young woman of extremely pleasing personality, beloved by her neighbors and other friends and worshipped by the members of her family. The bereaved husband has the deepest sympathy of every friend. In addition to her husband and daughter Mrs. Brewster is survived by her father, who now resides at Pulpit Harbor, and one sister, Mrs. Winnie Condon of Belfast. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. H. Chapin officiating. There was a very large attendance and very many floral tributes. The pall-bearers were William Penner, W. C. French, O. B. Lovejoy and Byron Milliken. Interment at Achorn cemetery.

ROBERT C. BRANN.

California newspapers have been received here announcing the death of William Farrow, under the firm name of Farrow & Brann. He settled in San Francisco about 50 years ago, and engaged in salmaking under the firm name of Harding & Brann. At the time of his death the firm style was Brann & Prior. Deceased married Hannah Francis, daughter of the late Bernard Ingraham and sister of Job P. Ingraham. He is survived by two sons, Frank R., who resides in Nevada and Robert Harding, who succeeds him in business. Mr. Brann's last visit here was five years ago, this in fact being the only home visit he had made since locating on the Pacific coast.

JOHN PERRY.

The death of John Perry, a resident of the East side, Belfast, occurred very suddenly last Thursday. His age was 55 years. At noon he was apparently as well as ever, going about and talking in his usual way, when he was suddenly stricken. His death was due to heart failure. Mr. Perry was born in South Thomaston, and was a ship carpenter by trade, and his remains were brought here for burial. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Henry Burgess of Belfast, with whom he lived, Mrs. Carrie Shute of Belfast, and Mrs. George Crockett of this city.

Public Speaker Interrupted.

Public speakers are frequently interrupted by people coughing. This would not happen if Foley's Honey and Tar were taken, as it cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia and consumption. The genuine contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. C. H. Pendleton, Druggist and Optician, and W. H. Kittredge, Druggist.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs and colds and lung troubles. This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine. C. H. Pendleton, druggist and optician, and W. H. Kittredge, druggist.

LADIES' Felt Shoes and Slippers 49c, 75c, 98c BOSTON SHOE STORE

E. B. HASTINGS & CO.

Visit Our Store this week for Holiday Goods.

We are all ready to show the best assortment of New Goods in every department of our store.

Everyone is invited to see our stock, also to see our pretty decorations.

We have made our store look very attractive both with decorations and pretty new goods. You can find here a great variety to select from. It is wise to do your Christmas shopping as early as possible.

Every advantage is to be gained by making your selections this week. The stocks are full, fresh and complete, in fact, at their best.

Goods can be purchased and delivered any day named.

Come in and see what we have to show you.

E. B. HASTINGS & CO.

Lost and Found

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS on silver ring. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at KNIGHT & HILL, Tailors, Rockland. 94tf

Want-d

WANTED—BOYS TO GET A WATCH Free by selling 100 extra cards of Maine views. Send stamp for cards. When you return \$2.00 and we send this elegant watch to your address postpaid. The WIGWAM, Belfast, Me. Box 942 95tf

AGENTS WANTED—Patented Kerosene Incandescent Burner. Attachable to any lamp. Produces 70 candle power light, saves 50 per cent kerosene; ready seller everywhere, exclusive territory. W. E. SCHWARTZ, Camden, Me., general agent for the State of Maine. 97-100

INSURANCE PRODUCER—Reliable man to sell new Accident-Health policy in your vicinity. A profitable and pleasant business can be built up; men or women. Know your own territory. No experience car. Learn F. T. MORAN & CO., 302 Main street, Rockland, Me. 98tf

WANTED—I WANT YOU TO KNOW that other store fittings; I sell second hand furniture. Postal will bring me to you. J. H. ROSTER, 196 Main st., Rockland. 98tf

HUMAN HAIR GOODS—Puffs and switches are resorted to by the latest fashions. I have them ready made or will manufacture them from your own combings. Special discount on Plain and Fancy Hair. Shampooing, Hair curling, Facial Massage and Chiropractic. MISS HELEN C. RHODES, Rockland. Hair Store over Carlin's fruit store, 336 Main St. 97tf

HELP WANTED and employment given to women and girls of some experience. A small fee will be charged for both parties, employer and employee to be paid in one week or upon registration of name at this office. Orders taken for work of all kinds and novelties for souvenirs, hand painted in water colors will be promptly filled at reasonable prices. Summer street, entrance, OLIVE R. WRIGHT, Telephone 12-2. 98tf

For Sale

A PAIR OF HORSES, FOR SALE—Weighted 2300 pounds. Will sell one or both. One two horse truck wagon in good condition. One foot horse. One ton horse. Inquire at 70 PLEASANT STREET, Rockland, Maine. 98-8

BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE—A valuable field for sale. Contain five acres of nice grass land, also valuable for house lots and a nice lot, also for \$800 one half down also use lots, farms and houses, all prices. W. M. SHAW & Rockland's real. Tel. 251. 11. 99 102

LAUNCH FOR SALE—26 ft. long, 7 1/2 feet wide. Good working 10 horse engine. Or will trade for a fine scallop boat. Address J. H. HANCOCK, 28 Water street. 99-102

FOR SALE—Building lot on Broadway, Rockland, apply 93 SUMMER ST. 98tf

FOR SALE—100 Large pullets all ready to lay; also 50 small, weighing 40 pounds each. We pay cash for all kinds of Live Poultry, live stock, pullets, pigs etc. Our team "sells anywhere." Tel. 251. 11. 99 102

FOR SALE—Bay mare, weight 1000 pounds, safe for lady to drive, not afraid of electric cars or automobile; 1 top buggy; one blue bug, one Glenwood surry, 1 grocery wagon, 1 road cart, harness, etc. all second hand. Apply to R. ANSON CHASE, Rockland. 98tf

ESTATE OF ALMIRA PERRY, HOUSE and lot, situated on north side of Middle street, No. 57. Will accept part mortgage in payment. Apply to ALFRED S. BLANCH, 9 Limerock St., City. 23tf

FOR SALE—A NICE COTTAGE LOTS a Crecent Beach, the very best location near the shore. One of the best of the kind. Will sell at a great bargain if taken at once. Apply to the EASTERLY REAL ESTATE CO.

A FEW NICE LOTS—On Travers street—near Middle, also good large lot on Crescent street. Now is the time to buy, as property is sure to advance in the spring. We also have a lot of 600 sq. ft. on a large and a few in trades in single and double houses. The EASTERLY REAL ESTATE CO., Glover Block, opposite Opera House, Rockland, Maine. 98tf

ARMS IN MAINE at bargain sale. Send for Catalogue. F. A. MERILMAN Real Estate Agent, Madison, Me. 9-8

To Let.

NEWLY REPAIRED 6 ROOM TENEMENT To Let—Corner of Orange and Pleasant Street. Inquire at 200 MAIN ST. Tel. 522. 5. 99-100

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—With or without board, 85 PARK ST. 99-100

TO LET—Tenements at very reasonable terms. Apply to LEROY F. CLOUGH, city building. 98tf

TO LET OR FOR SALE—House on Johnson street. Apply to LEROY F. CLOUGH, city building. 98tf

OR RENT Tenement with bath room. Newly papered and painted. Chance for house and carriage. Apply to GEORGE W. PERRY, Pleasant street. 97-100

STORAGE—Good dry storage for wagons, steel, hay, furniture, etc. Terms to suit. J. S. DUNN, 166 South Main street. 97tf

TO LET—Desirable rooms in the Spear Block. Suitable for offices, dressmaking or light housekeeping. Also the office in the A. R. Spear Block recently vacated by F. H. Ingraham. Apply to FRED R. SPEAR, agent, 5 Park street. 97tf

TO RENT—ONE HALF MY STORE at 473 1/2 Main Street, Rockland. Low rent and fine location. Apply to GEO. W. DRAKE. 304tf

TO LET—ONE OF THE SINGHLY COTTAGES No. 187 Broadway. Also a small office in the same. S. Singh B. Co., No. 259 Main street. Inquire of W. C. SINGH, 186 Broadway, city. 98tf

TO LET—THE ISRAEL SNOW WHARF Water Street, occupied by John I. Snow for coal, wood and hay business. Consists of wharf, coal and wood sheds and first floor of the big sail loft. Twelve feet of water at the wharf. Good chance to carry on coal and wood business. Apply to I. L. SNOW & Co. 80tf

NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the North National Bank are hereby notified that their Annual Meeting will be held at their Banking Rooms on Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., to transact the following business: To fix the number of and choose a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business that might legally come before them. For Order, E. E. BERRY, Cashier. Rockland, Me., Dec. 3, 1907. 99-3

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Stockholders of the Thomaston National Bank for the choice of Directors and for such other business as may legally come before them will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 14, 1908, at 1.30 p. m. For order, F. H. J. RDAN, Cashier. Thomaston, December 7, 1907. 99-3

Talk of the Town

Coming Neighborhood Events.
Dec. 11—Congregational fair.
Dec. 11—Knox-Pomona Grange, West Rockport.
Dec. 13—High school dance in Pillsbury hall.
Dec. 13—"Isle of Bong Bong" at Farwell opera house.
Dec. 16—Installation of Claremont Commandery.
Dec. 19—Trial of Battleship New Hampshire.
Dec. 19—"The Train Robber" at Farwell opera house.
Dec. 20—Installation of King Hiram Council, R. S. M. (Private).
Dec. 24—Annual ball of American Hook and Ladder Co. in Arcade.
Dec. 25—Christmas.
Dec. 25—"A Good Fellow" at Farwell opera house.
Jan. 1—"Uncle Josh Perkins" at Farwell opera house.
Feb. 10-15—Methodist Food Fair in Arcade.

Canton Lafayette has a special meeting tomorrow evening.

There's one motto that applies with particular force to Christmas shopping—"Do it now."

Christmas comes on Wednesday this year. There are only 14 days in front of it, by the way.

George W. Blithen has been home from Hartford, Conn. for a few days, pending the slack spell on the bridge job.

Charles Johnson has a position as night operator in the Maine Central Railroad office at Clinton. Charlie can rattle the key with the best of 'em.

A scallop boat owned by Fred M. Smith of Crescent Beach broke from its moorings at Holiday Beach last Thursday and was wrecked on Outer Island.

Mrs. Martha A. Spear sustained a bad fall from the steps of the Public Library building Saturday night. She slipped and in the endeavor to prevent a fall sprained one of her ankles and struck heavily on her shoulders. The accident has left her very lame.

The Modern Woodmen elected the following officers Friday night: C. K. McWhinnie, V. C.; A. W. Clark, W. A.; A. W. Smith, B.; C. H. Merrill, clerk; Colby A. Moore, E.; W. H. Fowle, W.; L. M. Hovey, S.; Dr. E. B. Silsby, camp physician; Elvin Bradford, manager for three years.

A prime article of sweet cider is that brewed by a Rockland man whose residence is in Ward 7. The following ingredients found their way into the barrel of apple juice: Four pounds of figs, seven pounds of brown sugar, five pounds of raisins, one-quarter pound of white mustard seed. Yum, yum!

The first-class battleship New Hampshire will have its trial on the Rockland course Dec. 19. The board of inspection and survey will arrive here on the night of the 17th and have already engaged quarters at local hotels. The New Hampshire is a 14,000-ton craft, a sister ship of the Kansas. The armored cruiser North Carolina will have her trial here the first week in January.

Law court is in session at Augusta and incidentally the assignment of justices for the supreme court sessions will be made. The following Knox county cases will be heard at this session: Continued cases, Anderson, admx. vs. Gray et al and receiver; Chalmers vs. Littlefield et al; Fidelity & Casualty Co. vs. Bodwell Granite Co.; Limerock Railroad vs. Ciley; Lou vs. Libby et al; State vs. Penobscot; state vs. Teti; Swift vs. Hawken et al; new entries, Brown et al vs. Mount Battle Mfg. Co.; Geyer, complainant vs. Cooke; Gurdy, appellant from decree of Judge of Probate; Inhabitants vs. Inhabitants of Seabrook; Littlefield et al vs. M. C. R. R. Co.; Poland vs. Davis et al.

At the annual meeting of Edwin Libby Post, G. A. R., Friday evening, the following were elected to fill the various offices: Commander, Wm. P. Hurley; Senior Vice Commander, Jacob U. Farrington; Junior Vice Commander, Benjamin Bartlett; Surgeon, Benjamin Williams; Chaplain, Frank E. Edwards; Officer of Day, Alvah Babcock; Officer of Guard, Frank W. Ham; trustee for three years, William H. Simmons; delegates to Department Encampment, Wm. H. Maxey and Wm. H. Smith; Alternates, Ben Littlefield and Myrick H. Nash. The adjutant, sergeant, major and quartermaster sergeant are to be appointed later. After the Post was closed a lunch of crackers, cheese, fish and coffee was served, to which did and sundries and the enjoyed cigars furnished by Commander Hurley.

Look for "The Sign of the Clothes-horse" at the Congregationalist fair, Wednesday, and find just the kind of an apron you want.

The Most Desirable Xmas Gifts For Man, Young Man and Boy

is something to wear. This store is literally alive with suggestions for making practical, useful presents. First there is

"Peck Clothing"

\$12 to \$22

For Men and Young Men

You can't give "him" anything that will be thought more of than a "PECK" Suit, Overcoat or Cravenette Rain Coat; for this clothing is the finest made ready-to-wear—looks precisely like costly-to-measure-made garments. Then there are

Fur Coats in handsome materials, beautifully finished, **\$20 to \$75**

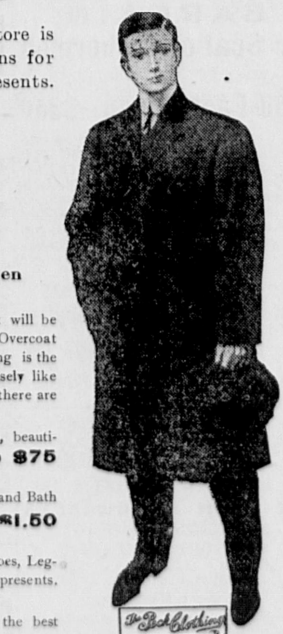
Ladies' Fur Top Slippers and Bath Slippers, **\$1.00 and \$1.50**

Men's and Women's Rubbers, Overshoes, Leg-gings and Garters make very useful Xmas presents.

Men's Kid Slippers, in all the best styles, from **50c to \$2.00**

Xmas Cravats . . . 25 cents to \$1.00
Silk Suspenders in handsome gift boxes . . . 25 cents to \$2.00
Silk Handkerchiefs in plain and fancy weaves . . . 50 cents to \$1.50
Linen and Initial Handkerchiefs, . . . 10 cents to 50 cents
Kid Gloves, all the latest shades and makes . . . \$1.00 to \$2.50
Silk Mullers in rich colorings and white and blue . . . 50 cents to \$2.00

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This is the highly proper week in which to do your Christmas shopping.

Dr. Harely, the eye specialist, makes his regular monthly visit to Castine Normal School this week.

There will be another dance at the Central Square hotel in Rockport tomorrow evening, with good music.

The Samoset Club has installed a billiard table in its club room, and will probably have a tournament during the winter.

The high school dance in Pillsbury hall next Friday evening is a good thing to remember. These dances have caught the popular fancy.

Capt. L. A. Crockett, who has been on the steamship Mexico, running between New York and Havana, has returned home.

Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S., holds its annual meeting, and will elect officers, next Friday evening. The chapter has had a very prosperous year.

Ex-Mayor Israel Snow bought Saturday a 24 h. p. Buick touring car from C. E. Risling. Sunday was a model day for riding, and the merits of the car were well tested.

While the Methodist bell was summoning people to the 6 o'clock meeting Sunday evening some mischievous chap pulled in an alarm of fire. The hoax was soon discovered and the all-out was promptly sounded.

Ice hockey is booming at Bowdoin college and games will be played during the winter with several other colleges, including Dartmouth, Maine, Bates and Harvard. Francis Wight of this city is a candidate for the team.

Adriel F. Ulmer, Charles E. Smith, Alfred G. Hunt, Edwin H. Hatch, Frank E. Post, Frank E. Ayiward and Samuel P. Lawry were drawn Sunday for traverse jury service at the January term of supreme court in this city.

Charles Wilson, formerly of this city, who had charge of a gasoline launch at Moosehead Lake during the summer, is now on his way to Nassau, N. P., with a Philadelphia gentleman who finds him a valuable and congenial companion on hunting expeditions. They are at present having great sport with the ducks in Pamlico Sound.

The Congregationalists have their annual fair tomorrow, with an abundance of good features, including trips to Fairyland for the children, the dollar table, the delicatessen table, the Teddy bear show, art and crafts' table and lunch counter supper. The Congo folks always aim to have something especially fine, and seldom fail to hit the target.

The receipts of the Waldoboro customs district for the year ending June 30, 1907, were \$5,400. The expense of collecting the same was \$6,400. This district has seven employees. The Belfast district which includes Camden, Rockport and Vinalhaven had receipts of \$102, the cost to collect which was \$241. That district has six employees.

The 26th annual levee and ball of American Hook & Ladder Co. takes place in the Arcade Tuesday evening, Dec. 24. There will be all the good old fashioned features and some new ones. The cooks will distribute 142 sandwiches among their patrons, which is the largest gift ticket that any fire company has presented for many years. Maddocks' orchestra will furnish music for the dancing.

Col. Thomas G. Libby of Vinalhaven was in the city yesterday to attend a meeting of the Governor and Council. Col. Libby is a candidate for department commander of the Maine Grand Army and takes a very complacent view of the situation. This is the session when the Post is electing delegates to next June's encampment, and the popularity of the Colonel's candidacy may be judged from the fact that 40 Posts are already pledged to him.

Claremont Commandery, K. T., introduces a new feature this year, which has been tried in other Commanderies with great success. It is planned to have the officers installed by the inspecting officer at the time of his inspection and official visit to the Commandery Monday evening, Dec. 16.

Harry R. Virgin of Portland, Grand Generalissimo of the Grand Commandery of Maine, will install the officers and inspect the Commandery. A banquet will be served by the ladies of Golden Rod Chapter, O. E. S.

The Art & Wall Paper stock is being sold out at any price as the store is to be closed for repairs shortly. If you want House Paper now is your time to buy.

Billy Crockett is in charge of one of St. Clair & Allen's delivery wagons during the holiday rush.

There were 84 persons present at the Epworth League meeting at 6 o'clock Sunday evening—the largest attendance of the year. Mrs. Frank Achorn was leader.

The residence of S. K. Hatch was fumigated Sunday. Mr. Hatch has completely recovered from his recent illness and is warmly welcomed at his place of business.

Percy Clark brought to The Courier-Gazette office yesterday some dandelion greens, with dandelions in full bloom upon them. His mother, Mrs. Albertus Clark, dug a mess of greens.

The W. C. T. U. has invited the state convention to meet in this city next September, and the invitation will probably be accepted. It has been 14 years since the convention was last entertained here.

George L. Whitten was yesterday paid \$250, the amount of his late wife's insurance in the Golden Cross. The payment was made by Treasurer Gonin, in 11 days from the time the certificate was forwarded.

The meeting of Claremont Commandery next Monday evening will be of especial importance. At that time will occur the installation, and the official visit as inspection by Grand Generalissimo Harry R. Virgin of Portland.

The small radiator which has been trying vainly to do a large radiator's work in the clerk of courts office was transferred yesterday to the judge's room. The clerk's office will now be heated by steam pipes, which were installed yesterday.

John Leach and "Dick" Newbert had an experience at East Warren Sunday that convinced them that two trains cannot meet and pass on the same track. They will furnish the particulars or better still, ask Walter Spear and Frank Fowles.

The capers which winter weather can cut are being strikingly illustrated. One year ago Sunday the thermometer registered between 10 and 20 degrees below zero. Last Sunday it was between 50 and 60 above zero, a change of 70 degrees. We rather favor 1907 as between the two.

Another of those popular Saturday evening suppers will be given this week at the Y. M. C. A. by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Mrs. A. D. Bird will be in charge of the affair and has secured the co-operation of a very efficient committee. Do not forget the date, Saturday evening, Dec. 14, from 5 to 7 p. m.

M. A. Johnson has plans for the spur track which the Maine Central Railroad is to build onto the stoneyard. This work will be done in three weeks or three months, according as the Railroad is able to get the necessary materials. The spur track will be about 600 feet long.

The December meeting of the Mission Circle will be held in the parlors of the Universalist church Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, instead of Wednesday at 4 o'clock, the usual time. The topic will be "The Story of Good-Will Farm" and will be presented by Mrs. P. D. Lamb. At the close of the meeting the barrel of clothing will be packed. The committee request all who have contributions to see that the articles are sent to the church in time.

Pleasant Valley Grange, P. of H., held its annual meeting last Tuesday evening. Former Master Reuben S. Thorndike was elected master, but declined to serve. The election then resulted as follows: Master, P. E. Post; overseer, A. S. Bartlett; lecturer, Mrs. Florence Burrows; steward, Arthur Rokes; assistant steward, W. B. Gardner; treasurer, Frank P. Harding; secretary, R. S. Thorndike; chaplain, Mrs. Harriet Bonner; gatekeeper, Henry Jones; lady assistant steward, Mrs. B. Gardner; Ceres, Mrs. F. E. Post; Pomona, Mrs. Frances Rockcliffe; Flora, Mrs. H. D. Farnham.

The annual assembly of King Hiram Council, R. S. M., was held at Masonic hall Friday evening. The Council is and has been for several years, one of the most prosperous of any of the Masonic bodies in this city. The report of the recorder showed that 54 had been admitted during the year, two had withdrawn and six had died, leaving the present number of members 281. Officers were elected as follows: James A. Richan, T. L. M.; Albert H. Newbert, D. M.; Frank C. Finch, P. C.; Edward K. Gould, recorder; Israel Snow, C. of G. C. E. Meservey retired from the office of treasurer after eight years of service in this capacity. A private installation will be held Friday evening, Dec. 20, and it is expected that A. A. Beaton, Past Grand Master, will install the officers. New robes for the officers have been ordered and it is expected that they will be ready for the installation. The companions who have died the past year are S. M. Bird, T. E. Simonton, T. J. St. Clair, Rockland; J. S. Fuller, Rockport; Levi K. Stinson and Eben F. Simpson, Stonington. The following are the new members added during the year: Ira J. Shuman, Cyrus L. Gahan, Charles H. Carter, Geo. W. Walker, Dorr J. Stryker, Roland J. Waggatt, Geo. E. Brigham, John Scott, Leo E. Howard, J. F. Shepherd, Fred W. Wight, John H. Meservey, Allison C. Hinds, E. W. Pickering, Geo. W. Smith, Wm. E. Mank, D. E. Hosmer, J. E. Leach, P. A. Stanley, S. A. Simmons, Levi Seavey, Geo. A. Tarr, Lewellyn Mank, Geo. P. Holt, R. C. Rankin, J. Carlton Davis, G. D. Gould, P. G. Currier, E. S. Carroll, O. E. Starrett, F. O. Clark, Aden A. Payson, N. B. Eastman, C. O. Montgomery, E. B. Bump, Warren Moore, F. A. Washburn, Geo. E. Redman, Robert Walker, Lewis S. Colley, J. H. Ogier, Kent G. Newbert, W. D. Carr, ron, Joshua Bartlett, Wm. T. Weston, S. T. Simpson, John E. Husby, A. D. Broadman, E. Y. Haskell, C. T. Wood, R. O. Wade, A. P. Blaisdel, M. T. Hill, D. B. Starrett, H. W. Stearns, Daniel Munro.

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Election day in Boston.

Ansel Stevens added to our dandelion collection yesterday.

The Rebekah Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. J. S. Jenkins, Friday afternoon.

The 5-cent moving picture theatre in the Hoffes store, corner of Main and Winter streets, opens next Monday. Get the habit of going to the theatre.

Miss Ethel Clifton, Harold W. Greene and William Pease will render special vocal selections at the Methodist church next Sunday.

The Invincibles and Rockport Y. M. C. A. team play basketball in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, this city, next Monday night. It will be a warm argument from beginning to close.

The Woman's Foreign Mission Society of the Methodist church meets Thursday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Belle St. Clair, 31 Gay street. The topic, "Education," will be taken from the Kindergarten to the College.

The Elks had degree work upon one candidate last night, and a very pleasant social hour, with informal program. It should be remembered that the lady friends of the Elks own the house Wednesday afternoon.

Clarence A. Packard has filed his bond as tax collector, and the payment of taxes, which has been held up since the death of Collector Simonton, is again in order. Property on which taxes are unpaid by next Sunday must be advertised for sale, in accordance with the law.

The Eastern Real Estate Co. has sold for the Tilton heirs their property situated on Warren street, Glen Cove. This is a very valuable property, consisting of a 20-acre field on which there is a fine large barn which cost about \$3000. The land is nicely underdrained and will be used, we understand, for a truck farm.

As the contest for a Mile of Pennies draws to a close the interest instead of abating steadily increases. There never has been as much uncertainty as to the result of the struggle as exists at the present time. The standing of the sides on Wednesday evening will have much to do with the final outcome. A specially interesting program has been provided.

A charming Main street clerk, whose favors are sought by at least three young men, was the unwitting cause of a riot due the other night. Bert's strategy is said to have perplexed the encounter. If one of the suitors had been a good demon-strator, the other would have eaten for a certainty. What would you do if you were the girl with the hazel eyes? She can't marry three.

The Knox county Socialists are planning for a big meeting the second Sunday in February, when there will be a debate on the subject: "Resolved, That if Socialism doesn't come in our time then we will receive benefits from the agitation." H. S. Hobbs, a veteran member of the party, will have the affirmative side, while Woodbury M. Snow, "the boy orator of Knox county Socialism," will advocate the now or never side of the question.

The third rally in the Mile of Pennies contest takes place Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, in the Methodist parlors. Several novelties will be introduced, among them the enjoyable though puzzling cent contrivance. Fun and instruction combined in this brain teaser. Choice program. Refreshments served. Games played. Admission 5 cents and at least a foot of pennies. 98-99

ROLL CALL OF BAPTISTS.

The First Baptist church of Rockland, is now making preparations to celebrate its seventy-fifth anniversary from Jan. 26-30. It is proposed to make this an event worthy of the occasion, and many good things will be forthcoming at that time. One of the services will be a roll-call, the responses to be made by pastorates; and an address suitable to the occasion, by an out of town speaker. Many of our members are scattered abroad in other cities and towns. Some are far distant. We want to hear from these by letter. Most, if not all of these, take this medium to make known to us such our desire that they be represented in this meeting by a brief letter which shall be read at the service; and these members are requested to send such letters to the pastor, as soon as possible to the pastor of the church, as it is important for our purpose.

W. J. Day, Pastor.

George Arata of Hallowell, manager of Dave Sawyer's, challenges any man in the state or New England at 145 to 152 pounds. Sawyer has never been defeated. Sawyer is a good shifty boxer and was never known to fake. He surely gives a person who attends one of the exhibitions in which he is a participant his money's worth.—Bangor Commercial.

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Red Saunders

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CHAPTER VI—Continued.

"He lives about three miles out on the Peterville road, but he's in town tonight visiting Miss Alders. Johnny!" to a small boy who had been following the conversation, his wide open eyes bent on Red and his mouth and wiggling bare toes expressing their delight in vigorous contortions. "Johnny, you run tell Mr. Upton there's a gentleman here wants to see him about buying a horse."

"Don't disturb him if he's visiting," remonstrated Red.
"He won't call that disturbing him," replied the postmistress, with a shrill laugh. "He'll be here in no time."
She was a true prophet. It seemed as if the boy had barely left the store when he returned with a stoop-shoul-



"I just stopped in to find out if you knew any one that had a riding horse for sale."

dered, solemn faced man, who had a bushy head of chin whisker decorating the lower part of his face. After greetings and the explanation of the errand, Mr. Upton stroked his chin whisker regretfully. "Young man," said he, "I'm in a peculiar and unpleasant position. There's mighty few things I wouldn't do in a horse trade, but I draw the line on murder. That there horse'll kill you, just sure as you're fool enough to put yourself on his back. I'll sell you a real hawse mighty reasonable."

"I'll risk him," cut in Red. "Could you lead him down here in the morning?"
"Yes, indeed—he's a perfect lady of a horse to lead—you can pick up any foot—climb all over him, in fact—long's you don't try to ride him or hitch him up. If you do that—well, young man, you'll get a pretty fair idea of what is meant by one of the demons of hell."

"What kind of saddle have you got?"
"One of them outlandish western affairs that the scamp threw in with the animal—you see, I thought I'd take up horseback riding for my health; I was in bed three weeks after my first try."

"I'll go you \$75 for the outfit, just as you got it—chaps, taps and latigo straps, if you'll have it in front of my house at 9 o'clock tomorrow."
"All right, young man; all right, sir. Now don't blame me if you air took home shoes fast."

"Nary," said Red. "Come and see the fun."

"If shorely will," replied the old gentleman.

CHAPTER VII.

AT 9 the next morning there was a crowd in front of the house. "What have you been doing now, Will?" asked Miss Mattie, with prescience.

"Only buying a horse, Mattie," returned Red soberly. "Seems to be quite an event here."

"Is that all?"
"That's all, so help me Bob!" Red had a suspicion that there would be objections if she knew what kind of a horse it was.

Lettis, who had roomed with Red overnight, was in the secret.

The horse arrived, leading very quietly, as Mr. Upton had said. It was a buckskin, fat and hearty from long resting. Nothing could be more docile than the pensive lower lip and meek curve of the neck. Nothing could be more contradictory than the light of its eye, a brooding, baleful fire, quietly hiding its time.

"Scatter, friends!" cried Red as he put his foot in the stirrup. "Don't be too proud to take to timber!"

He swung over as lightly as a trapeze performer, deftly catching his other stirrup. The horse groaned and shivered.

"Don't let him get his head down! Golding! Don't you!" screamed Mr. Upton in wild excitement.

Red threw the bridle over the horn of the saddle. "Go it, you devil!"



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We have novelties in Hat pin Holders, Hair Receivers, etc. In the worsted line we have Ladies' Hand-made Shawls, Kimonos, Fascinators, Slippers, Afghans.

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In the Bag line we have Laundry Bags, Darning Bags, Money Bags, Twine Bags, Powder Bags, Work Bags, Sponge Bags. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Traveling Companions in Silk and Cretonne, rubber lined, prices from \$1.00 to \$3.00.

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This department is complete in every particular. We have a fine line of Bear Skin Coats and Bonnets and Hats to match. Hand-made Jackets in all the novelties, Afghans Socks and Leggings.

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Nice line Neckwear. Hand-made Laundered Collars, 50c. Combs and Side Combs to match in boxes.

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Handkerchiefs for the Holidays for gentlemen, ladies and children, in plain, hemstitched, fancy embroidered, and the latest styles in colored borders and dimity checks.

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In Indian dignity, marred by a limp in his left leg, for he had come upon Mother Earth with a force which made itself felt through all that foot of soft dust.

"Bring that durn fool horse along," he called over his shoulder. Buckskin rose and followed his owner. There was no light in his eye now; he looked thoughtful. He, too, limped, and there was a trickle of blood down his nose. Varily it had been a hard fought field.

As both men were anxious to see the lay of the land as soon as possible Red took his place in the wagon that day, after the damages were repaired, content to wait until his leg was less sore for horseback riding.

There followed a busy two weeks for them. Mr. Demit had some money he wished to put into the enterprise, but his most valuable assistance was, of course, his thorough knowledge of the resources of the country.

They found an admirable site for the mill in an old stone barn which had stood the ravages of desolation almost unimpaired. Red's mining experience told him that the creek could easily be flumed to the barn, and as that was the only objection to the others to this location they wrote the owner of the property for a price. They were astonished when they received the figures. It had come by inheritance to a man to whom it was a white elephant of the most exasperating sort, and he was glad to get rid of it for almost a song. They were a jubilant three at the news. It saved the cost of building a mill, and, including that, the price was as low per acre as any land they could have obtained. Red closed the bargain instantly.

Lettis' part of the business was chiefly to arrange for the disposal of their product, and when he explained to his partners what he could reasonably hope to do in that line the affair lost its last tint of unreality and became a good proposition. For Lettis had an excellent business acquaintance who would be glad to deal with the straightforward young fellow.

The night after the signing of the deeds Red said to Miss Mattie: "We ought to have a stockholders' dinner tomorrow night, Mattie. If you could hire that scow built girl who wears her hair scrambled to come in and give you a lift, would you feel equal to it?"

"You always put it that I'm doing you a great favor in such things, Will, but you know perfectly well there's nothing I'd rather do," replied Miss Mattie, with a dimpling smile. "However, it adds to the pleasure of it to have it put in that way, so I won't complain. I'll just have my supper first and then you men can talk over your business undisturbed."

"You will not—you'll eat with the rest of us!"

"Yes, but you stockholders"—The word had an import to Miss Mattie, something if not regal, at least a kinship to the king. Under her demure lay a respect for the founded institution, impersonal, an integral part of the law of the state—in fact, a minor sovereignty within an empire.

"Stockholder yourself?" retorted Red.

"What do you mean, Will?" asked Miss Mattie, with wide opened eyes.

"I mean you're a stockholder as good as anybody. You've got half my stock. Now, hold on! Just listen. This is a queer run, Mattie, from the regulation point of view, this company of ours. I know enough about flimsy and back to know that. You ought to have seen the pryn' and pokin' and nosin' around them Boston men did before they took hold of the Chanta Seeshee and made it a stock company! One feller was the ablest durn fool I ever come across. I used to let on I didn't savvy anything about it. 'Now, explain to me,' says I to him. 'You say you have so many shares of their stock,' waving my hand to a bunch of crumpled papers in the distance. 'What part do you take? I mean, what's your share of each animal?' and does the last man get the horse and the tail?"

"Oh, you don't understand," says he. 'I'll explain it to you.' So he starts in to tell me that 'stock didn't necessarily mean beef critters' and a lot more things, whilst old man Ferguson, who was putting the deal through, stood listening and chewing his teeth, thinking I was going to give my friend the frolicsome bee-see at the wind-up. But I stood solemn and never even drew a smile, for fear of queering Ferguson. Well, that's the proper

way to start a company—make it as dreary and long winded as possible. We ain't done that, and perhaps we'll go broke for breaking the rules, and then your stock won't be worth a cuss. So don't you get excited about it. I wanted the Saunders family to be represented. Pretty soon the old lad with the nose will be around, and you'll have a chance to rend about the 'parities of the party' and 'aforewails' and 'be-hindails' and the rest of the yappi then lawyers swing so that honest men won't know what the devil they're up to."

(To be continued.)

NORTH WARREN.

Quite a number attended Neighbors' Night at the Grange hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens and daughter Hazel visited David Post Thanksgiving.

Herbert Walts and family, Wesley Walts and family and Charles Young and family took dinner with William Walts Thanksgiving.

Neighbors' night was observed at White Oak Grange Friday evening, Nov. 29. A good program was given and refreshments served. There was a large attendance and all report a good time.

Miss Sophronia Merriam of Thomaston was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merriam.

Miss Agnes Stevens visited Miss Ella Ladd in Warren last week.

Lloyd Benner is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Alden Kaler, in Thomaston.

Mrs. Dwight Cummings and Mrs. Harvey Post went to Rockland, Monday of last week.

Charles Spear and George Gracie hauled wood on runners all day Wednesday, Nov. 27. They report rather "hard sledding."

ATLANTIC

Miss Ruthie Staples is home from Castine where she attended Normal school.

T. F. Pinkham and Jefferson Torrey are each carrying their horses.

Miss Rilla Staples spent Thanksgiving week at home after teaching at Franklin. She began on Monday, Dec. 2 a term at the Deer Isle Primary.

Ernest Sprague sold his naptha boat to parties at upper Long Island recently. It is rumored Alonso Sprague will sell his to Alden Joyce at the end of the lobster season.

L. E. Joyce received a bad cut on one of the fingers of his right hand, from a broken bottle used as a "toggie" upon one of his lobster warps.

The lumber has arrived and work has begun on the addition to the Baptist parsonage.

A. W. Staples and family and Miss Elsie Joyce of Gots Island visited relatives here recently.

Emery Barbour is having his house shingled and painted.

CASINE

Pentagon Tribe, No. 84, Improved Order of Red Men of this town, held their annual installation of officers on Friday, Nov. 29, and the chiefs were duly raised up by Great Sannap Orrin J. Dickey of the Great Council of Maine. Followed the installation a supper was served and the evening's program was well attended. Several applications were received and the Tribe seems to be starting the winter under favorable conditions. The newly installed officers are: Sachem, R. H. Brown; prophet, George E. Parsons; senior saganore, Will Bevan; junior saganore, George Weeks; keeper of wampum, R. B. Brown; chief of records and collector of wampum, Frank Chamberlain; first sannap, George Wardwell; first, second and third warriors, Edwin Perkins, Fred Connors and Frank Perkins; W. S. Brown, second sannap; guard of wigwam, Joseph Morey; guard of forest, Horace Bowden.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Shoop's Restorative in such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurt.

WALDO COUNTY NOTES.

Belfast, Dec. 2. Belfast Lodge, New England Order of Protection, at its last meeting initiated 20 candidates, including their membership in this city at more than 100. A banquet followed the degree work.

Six candidates were initiated at the last meeting of Aurora Rebekah Lodge of Old Fellows and supper was served during the evening. The attendance was very large.

Hon. E. F. Hanson spoke in Unity at the Grange hall on Saturday afternoon before a large assemblage, on "The advantages of Waldo county and how the towns and villages might be made more prosperous." Mr. Hanson will speak in Liberty this week. These addresses are being given under the auspices of the Waldo County Chamber of Commerce.

Thomas H. Marshall, Ladies' Circle, G. A. R., held its regular meeting and annual election of officers at Memorial hall Tuesday afternoon with her son, William C. Savelle, of this city has gone to Boston for a short visit and then goes to Denver, Colorado, where she will spend the winter months hoping to benefit her health.

After a partial shut-down for the past two weeks the shoe factory of Leonard & Barrows in this city resumed work on Monday on an eight hour schedule and with the full force working. The factory, while feeling the general depression, has been closed but a short time this season.

Mrs. Van Sawelle of this city removes this week to Auburn, where she will make her home with her son, William C. Savelle, this change being occasioned by the recent death of her husband.

The Belfast Band have elected as leader, Herbert Drinkwater of this city, a musician of exceptional talent and one who has given time and study to that branch of work. Mr. Drinkwater is also the director of the Stockton Singers and ranks high among Maine musicians. Mr. Drinkwater succeeds Mark Crockett of the Belfast Band, who has removed to New York.

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there may be presumed to be some truth in them. The Comptroller points out that it costs \$100,000 a year to run the city or more than the combined expenditures of London, Paris and Berlin. It requires \$12,000,000 to cover the municipal payroll alone and much of this is alleged to be unnecessary salaries. In fact Mr. Metz asserts that the positions of one-third of the city's employees could be abolished without lessening the amount of work accomplished. Other successful items to which he calls attention are the interest charges amounting to millions, due to the city's habit of spending its income before it is collected. With the city's debt limit almost reached and with real estate taxes amounting to figures which are causing property owners to unite in protest these charges are attracting some attention from the usually indifferent New Yorker. Other statisticians have come to the same conclusion with the exception that extravagance is not confined to the municipality but is a habit of the citizens as well. They produce figures to show that New Yorkers are the most wasteful people on earth and that among the items that they virtually throw away are 45,000,000 gallons of water a day—and the water problem is one of the most difficult and expensive with which the city has to deal—and \$25,000,000 of food products wasted in the course of a year. Just at present, however, the people as well as the municipality are having some lessons in enforced economy that may help to improve their wasteful habits if they are really as bad as alleged.

New York has just passed through a war which for acrimonious discussion has equalled the debate over President Roosevelt's action in leaving the "In God We Trust" motto off Uncle Sam's new coins. The metropolitan imbrolio related to the subject of Christmas and its observance in the public schools of the city. Heretofore it has been the custom to celebrate the approach of the great Christian holiday among the school children by singing of carols, recitations and tableaux, all relating to the sacred event which the day commemorates. It happens that the New York has among its heterogeneous population nearly a million Jews, which makes this the largest Jewish city in the world, and that in certain schools on the East Side the great majority of the children come from Jewish families. Some parents of the orthodox Hebrew faith objected to this commemoration of an event which they decline to recognize. The Board of Education, mindful perhaps of the voting strength of the city's Jewish population, issued instructions which called for, or were interpreted as calling for, the abolition of the Christmas carols from the schools. Thereupon excited inquiries arose from the churches and filled the columns of the newspapers as to whether or not this had ceased to be a Christian city and whether the children were to be robbed of their Christmas. The Board of Education, that discretion was the better part of valor and issued an explanation to the effect that the Christmas observances had not been abolished. It is expected, however, that school principals will arrange their celebrations to accord with the religious views of the predominant scholars and so all classes may be satisfied. The incident has served to call attention again to the cosmopolitan nature of New York's population, which apparently includes followers of every religious practice as well as every fanaticism on the face of the globe.

Among all the city's varied religious institutions probably the most remarkable as it certainly is the best attended is that which holds its meetings every Sunday night in famous Cooper Union where so many historic audiences have gathered. The congregation is regularly over three thousand, that is it is limited only by the capacity of the hall, and there is no lack of interest in the proceedings. There is no pulpit and no preacher. Some of the pastors of the more wealthy and fashionable uptown churches have signed as they looked upon the enthusiastic crowds that fill the walls of Cooper Union to the burning question and have wished that they could find a way of filling their own pews as well, but so far they have not.

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FROM NEW YORK

Organized Efforts to Upset New York Governor's Presidential Chances—The Christian War In The Schools—New York's Queerest Church.

New York, Dec. 7.—"Hughes is the most baffling political figure that ever occupied an important position among presidential possibilities," said a prominent politician here, according to the conclusion to which the ordinary observer is being forced. The New York Governor not only has announced that he will not attempt to secure the support of a single delegate to the national convention but this week he has quietly put an embargo on the delegate hunting efforts planned by some of his friends. At the same time the opposition to him has been fully organized. The triumvirate consisting of State Chairman Woodruff, Congressman Herbert Parsons and Speaker of the Assembly James W. Wadsworth, Jr., which forms the new Republican state machine, has planned, according to report, to annihilate the Governor's chances for the Presidency by will ask the state legislature to pass at its approaching session a bill which will under the terms of the bill the Governor be constituted himself the leaders of the third term movement in this state and have placed their services at the disposal of the White House. On the other hand the corporate interests, fighting the Governor because of his public service commission bill and other similar legislation have been putting out feelers for a Cortelyou boom, basing the claims of the Secretary of the Treasury on his measures to relieve the recent money panic. In spite of the strenuous efforts to discredit him, however, and the fact that not a finger is being lifted to push the Governor's chances the Hughes movement is making headway in all parts of the country according to the reports that come to both the politicians and the newspaper here. That is why the political veteran described Hughes as a baffling political figure. The growth of his boom without any machinery behind it violates all the accepted traditions of the politicians. Apparently developments are rapidly approaching the point where Hughes is the only man in the country not interested in the Hughes boom.

Patron Knickerbocker is a reckless spendthrift or at least that is the latest charge that has been made against the long-suffering old gentleman in knee breeches. As Comptroller Metz and Health Commissioner Partridge understand among those who make the charges

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Uric-O is sold and personally recommended in Rockland by Cyrus W. Hills at the Green and White Drug Store.

far none of them has had the courage to adopt Mr. Smith's methods.

An anti-race suicide club is the thing that New York needs most, according to Mrs. Clarence Burns who is the head of the Little Mothers Aid Society. She proposes to lead a party of women, encouraging larger families and an organization that would undertake to find suitable husbands for unmarried women—apparently she holds that there is no trouble now in the part of the bachelors in finding suitable wives—that would offer prizes for the best examples of anti-race suicide and that would establish a fund, or else secure an appropriation from the public treasury for the aid of mothers too poor to properly care for their children. Mrs. Burns also suggests committees to inquire into the morals of those about to be married, a measure that seems more likely to discourage than encourage matrimony. What seems to be a fatal defect of the plan is that she offers no suggestion as to a means by which the ordinary New York flat can be stretched to a size to accommodate even a moderate number of children.

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WEST LINCOLNVILLE

Mrs. Georgia Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. Abbot Allen in Hays several days recently. P. K. Allen and Basil Allen were also their guests at dinner Thursday.

Carroll Wiley, who is attending school in Camden, was home a week ago for a few days' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Payson, Mr. and Mrs. George Ludwig and two children, Dorothy and Raymond, of Hope, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mariner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leonard were guests of Mrs. Leonard's mother, Mrs. Chas. Smith, a few days recently.

Fred Wiley and wife visited his sister, Mrs. Caroline Thomas, in Union, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Simmons and daughter Lura of Hope were guests of A. P. Allen and wife Thanksgiving.

Allice Eldridge and wife of Camden at guests of his father, Theron Eldridge, last week.

Miss Fannie Eugley of Camden spent Dec. 1 with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Eugley.

John Mariner and wife of Hope were in town Dec. 7.

Eugene Hall of Rockport visited his mother, Mrs. Albert Wentworth, Dec. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wiley were in Camden Tuesday.

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Miss Alice Smith of Wadsworth is the teacher. Miss Smith taught the fall term and gave excellent satisfaction.

Nathan Seales of Campbell, N. B., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Stone.

Mrs. Abbie Orne visited relatives in Portland.

Sch. Samuel Hart, Capt. John Maloney, loaded with coal for Thomaston, was in Maple Juice Cove, over Sunday.

Capt. T. N. Stone is home from Boston.

Acorn Grange, 418, South Cushing, conferred the 3rd and 4th degrees on three candidates Saturday evening.

Nov. 30, after which the ladies served a most bountiful supper, consisting of baked chicken, mashed potato, celery, bread, pies and cakes.

There will be a Christmas tree and concert at Rivers' hall on Christmas eve, Dec. 24, which will be free to all.

EASY TO MIX THIS.

What will stir up an interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of backache or kidney or bladder derangement, in the following simple prescription, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

A RAINY DAY.

How tired one grows of a rainy day! For a rainy day brings back so much— Old dreams revived that are buried away— And the past comes back to sight and touch;

When with vague unrest and nameless pain One dreams of things that are buried away— That we never on earth shall know again— Oh, a rainy day brings back so much!

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A prolapse cause of Piles is the use of cathartics and pills of a drastic, violent nature, which is always followed by a reaction on account of the resinous, drying properties they contain.

There are other causes, but no matter what the cause, the best kind of Piles, Dr. Leonard's Pile-Roid can be relied upon to cure to stay cured.

It's an internal remedy that removes the causes of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Suppurating Piles.

A guarantee goes with each package containing a month's treatment.

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A tickling cough, from any cause, is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers everywhere to give it without hesitation, even to young babies. The whole some green leaves and tender stems of a long leaved mountainous shrub, furnish the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Simply a resinous plant extract, that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. All Dealers.

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"It is in my opinion my duty to join those who praise the Cuticura Remedies. After my granddaughter of about seven years had been cured of the measles, she was attacked about a fortnight later by a furious, itching and painful eruption all over her body, especially the upper part of it, forming a watery and bleeding sores, especially under the arms. She suffered a great deal and for three weeks we nursed her every night, using all the remedies we could think of. Nothing would help. We then remembered having heard so much about Cuticura Remedies. We sent for a box, and after twenty-four hours we noted considerable improvement, and, after using only one complete set of the Cuticura Remedies, in five consecutive days the little one, much to our joy, had been entirely cured, and has been well for a long time. Mrs. R. F. Evans, R. F. D. 3, Bakerfield, Cal., June 25 and July 20, 1906."

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"My son, when a lad of sixteen, was troubled with humor on his face and after using Cuticura Remedies he was freed from every humor and has continued so to the present time after twenty years have passed. Your Cuticura Soap has been used in my family for several years and I have faith in the Cuticura Remedies. A. H. Smith, Marion, Me., Dec. 1, 1905."

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THOMASTON

Mrs. A. F. Rice left Monday for New York, where she will spend about a month, then will go to Kansas for the remainder of the winter.

L. P. Churchill of Myricks, Mass., made a business trip here Friday returning to his home Saturday.

Miss Annie Briggs left Friday for Rochester, Mass., where she will spend the winter with her sister.

Allice Healey, Annie Johnson, Ida Colley, Annabel Williams, Minnie Hill and Belle Mathews, left Monday for Farmington where they will attend Normal school.

Cassie Donahue who is teaching school in South Cushing, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. T. S. Singer, who has been visiting relatives in Massachusetts and New Hampshire, returned home Friday. She was accompanied by Charles W. Singer, who has been spending a few days in Lawrence and Watertown, Mass.

Alta McCoy, who has been visiting in Boston for two weeks, returned home Saturday. Monday she resumed her duties as stenographer for the John Bird Co. Rockland.

Harriet Tilton, who has had employment with the W. U. Tel. Co. in Boston for several months, has finished her duties there and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry French of Stonington were in town last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. French's father, William Comery.

There was no morning or evening service at the Baptist church Sunday owing to the illness of Rev. W. A. Newcombe.

Capt. and Mrs. E. A. Watts who have been guests of Mrs. Lillius Moody for several days, returned to their home in St. George Saturday.

Bert Comery, janitor of the Congregational church, died of the vacancy caused by the death of John Stetson.

A. L. Wall has resumed his duties as guard at the prison after a week's absence on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sampson, who have been guests at A. B. Sampson's for several days, returned to their home in Providence, R. I., Friday.

Bowdoin Lermond of Portland spent Sunday with his aunt, Kate Brown, Wadsworth street.

W. E. Vinal, who was in Boston several days last week on business, returned home Friday.

Edward Lermond, who has been several voyages on board schooner Helen Thomas, is in town and will remain with his aunt, Kate Brown, for several weeks.

The schools in town close next Friday Dec. 14, until after the holidays.

The funeral of William Comery took place Thursday morning from the home of Mrs. Sarah Stetson, Gleason street. Rev. E. M. Cousins officiating.

Mr. Comery died at the Soldiers Home in Washington, D. C., last Monday. He had been in feeble health and an inmate of the home for several years. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Harry French of Stonington.

Harvey W. Smith, representing F. H. Little Oil Co. of Portland spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Mrs. Lillian Sprague Copping sang at the prison service last Sunday morning. Fales Circle will hold a public supper in G. A. R. hall Wednesday at 5.45 p. m.

Miss Ida E. Singer, who has been visiting relatives in Massachusetts for

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

Thomaston National Bank

At Thomaston, in the State of Maine, at the close of business, December 31, 1907.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts, \$13,241.79
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 20,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds, 2,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc., 96,162.57
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures, 12,700.00
Due from State Banks and Bankers, 3,509.56
Due from approved reserve agents, 15,264.20
Checks and other cash items, 1,619.55
Notes of other National Banks, 5,940.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents, 31.48
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, viz.:
Specie, \$11,192.00
Legal-tender notes, 1,500.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation), 2,500.00
Total, \$333,911.35

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in, \$100,000.00
Surplus fund, 20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 14,657.17
National Bank notes outstanding, 50,000.00
Dividends unpaid, 15,264.20
Individual deposits subject to check, 125,555.15
Time certificates of deposit, 25,330.00
Total, \$333,911.35

STATE OF MAINE, COUNTY OF KNOX, ss.:
I, F. H. JORDAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. JORDAN, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of December, 1907.

J. A. ANDREWS, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
W. M. J. SINGER,
WILLIAM G. WASHBURN, Directors
T. S. SINGER

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Mrs. H. G. Colley late of Thomaston, in the County of Knox, deceased. And persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto to make payment immediately.

HARRIET C. WHITNEY, Executrix.
Thomaston, Dec. 2, 1907.

FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR

stops the cough and heals lungs

SANTA CLAUS' DEPUTY

OUR OLD FRIEND SANTA CLAUS has deputized us to care for the wants of the people of Camden and surrounding towns. So he has sent us hundreds of dollars worth of nice things for Christmas. Dolls of every size and style, fascinating Mechanical Toys, all sizes and prices, Postal Card Albums, beautiful and dainty, Japanese Ware, Stationery in fancy boxes, Calendars, Mexican Leather Pocket Books and Purses, the Boston Safety Fountain Pen, Christmas Tags, Books and lots of other things.

LORING, The Stationer

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the past seven weeks, returned home Monday.

If the stomach is on a strike use Ml-o-na, and see how quickly and easily it gets back to work. 50c. a box. Cures any stomach trouble or morose refusal. G. I. Robinson Drug Co., Thomaston.

The weather for the last week is what brings on catarrh. Get a Hyomei outfit for \$1.00 from G. I. Robinson Drug Co., Thomaston, and catarrh will not bother you. Money back if Hyomei fails to cure the worst case of catarrh.

CAMDEN

Miss Millie Erickson of West Rockport has been the guest the past week with Miss Maude Rokes on Chestnut street.

The remains of Albion Evans, second son of Rev. L. D. Evans of this place, were brought from the West, arriving here last Saturday. The funeral was held at the Warren Lodge on Saturday at 2 o'clock at the house with Rev. Mr. Quint, pastor of the Congregationalist church of Rockland officiating. Interment was in Mountain street cemetery.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal society will meet with Mrs. H. M. Bean this week.

Arrangements were made by the Rebecca Lodge of Camden at their special meeting called last Saturday evening to visit the Warren Lodge on Saturday night and have chartered a special car to leave Camden at 4 o'clock for Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Burgess are in Boston selecting holiday goods. They will return this week.

Miss Nellie E. Simonon is visiting in Rockland and is the guest of Miss Wadlin.

L. C. Smith of Boston was in town last week and the question of "How to ride out of the brown-tail moth" came under discussion. Many good points were received by them and it is hoped by the citizens that we shall have less of these destructive animals another year.

C. G. Hopkins, our rural mail carrier, has been on the sick list the past week. The Friday Reading Club will meet with Mrs. J. R. Glover on Trim street this week.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, the Maiden Cliff Rebecca Lodge will hold their regular meeting, when several candidates will be admitted to membership. A large attendance is expected.

The ladies of the Baptist Sewing Circle will meet with Mrs. Allen Spear on Free street on Wednesday afternoon.

S. G. Ritterbush has purchased from C. E. Rising of Rockland a Buick runabout auto and is enjoying life at its fullest.

The Junior class of our high school deserve great praise for their play, "Gipsy, the Mountain Waltz," which they presented on Friday evening of last week to a large audience, netting \$5. The play on the whole was certainly a credit to any high school, the parts being well taken and especial mention should be made of Harold Newton in the character of Nathan Bardwell, a farmer, also Gypsy, the waltz, taken by Stella Derry, who made a fetching portrayal of the same.

George Frohock certainly comes in for a good share of praise in his part of Ned Bardwell, showing quite a bit of ability in this line and Vincent Millay in the part of Nellie Crosby kept the audience convulsed with the Irish brogue as did her partner Mike O'Connor, Crosby's hired man, taken by William Hanley. The part of Squire Crosby was well taken by Henry Hall, who certainly had a swell makeup and good voice for the part. The other parts were well taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson D. Ames leave this week for Florida, where they expect to remain for the winter.

Miss Nellie Pendleton and Mrs. Charles Burd called on friends in Rockland Saturday of last week.

TENANT'S HARBOR

In the Tenants Harbor grammar school the following scholars were not absent one session: Elsie Moore, Ernest Simmons, Russell Tabbutt, Frank Barter, Walter Wheeler, Iada Morris, Ruth Fuller, Mildred Rawley, Beulah Hocking, Mae Ireland, Julia Haskell, Susie Haskell, Ruth Purson, Sophia Smalley, Dorothy Sheerer.

WARREN

Rev. E. M. Cousins of Thomaston preached at the Congregational church last Sunday in exchange with the pastor, Rev. H. W. Webb.

Miss Ida Hodgkins went last Saturday to Readfield, where she will teach in the grammar school.

Malden Cliff Rebecca Lodge of Camden have accepted an invitation to visit the Mystic Lodge next Saturday evening.

Mrs. Leroy Heal of Camden visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. B. A. Case visited her sister, Mrs. Morse, Saturday and Sunday. Everett Overlook of Gardiner has been visiting relatives here.

There was a good attendance at the Farmers' Institute Friday evening. George Thomas, of Camden, occupied the house on Main street occupied by Wm. Stickney and S. Burgess.

Wm. Payson Relief Corps entertained Edwin Libby Corps of Rockland last Tuesday evening. About 25 visitors were present. Supper was served at 6 o'clock, after which a regular meeting was held. A program was rendered, consisting of remarks by visiting ladies, reading by Miss Ida Hodgkins, recitations, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Davies of Rockland. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Edward Starrett of Pleasantville sustained a shock of paralysis recently. P. D. Starrett has been at home on account of his father's illness.

Warren was represented at the Ministers' meeting at Y. M. C. A., Rockland, Monday morning by Rev. Messrs. Kilborn, Davis and Webb.

There will be preaching at North Warren at the church of the Congregational church, next Sunday afternoon.

MARTINSVILLE.

James Pease of this place has brought out his trotter Jimmie. He says he can go a mile in 2.40 if the mile isn't too long.

A. D. Pratt and W. H. Harris are at work on F. O. Martin's hen pen.

Mrs. Mary Wiley has ice cream to sell twice a week. She makes the best cream that has been eaten for a good while.

Mary Cook has gone to work for Harry Rising in Rockland.

Oley Kellogg, who has lately purchased a farm in Shirley cut his foot; quite badly one day last week chopping ciders. Oley can't box but as to making a farmer his friends are doubtful.

F. O. Martin is having a new hen pen built. Mr. Martin thinks he will go into the business.

John Cook hauled his sloop Ethel into winter quarters. Edgar Ervine has hauled his lobster traps on the bank after making a successful summer's work. He has made about \$500 since July while the rest haven't made hardly enough to pay for their bank.

W. C. Dwyer and E. L. Ervine are cutting wood for J. W. McIntire.

Miss Bertha Jones of Glenmere has been the guest of Mrs. Mary Cook the past few days.

Joshua Pratt is visiting his daughter, Ida Seavey, in Glenmere.

The Ocean View Grange conferred the 1st and 2nd degrees on four candidates Monday night. The whole was a pig killing time has come and nearly all have a good sized grunter.

Schools have closed and the children are enjoying their vacation at home with whooping cough.

Christopher Mather is confined to the house with sickness.

Lester Wiley has moved from his home on Doughton Point to the Hugh Dunn place at Glenmere.

FRIENDSHIP

Mrs. Annie R. Cook and Clarence Durette of Lynn, Mass., are in town, called by the death of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ruby A. Winchenbach.

Mrs. C. A. Cook is visiting her brother, John Benner, in North Waldo.

Mrs. Albin Mather and daughter Margaret have moved into Mrs. E. C. Jameson's house at the village for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bramhall are occupying Mrs. Caroline Whitney's house during her absence in Seattle, Wash., where she is visiting her sons, Bryon and Preston. Mrs. Whitney was accompanied by her daughter Helen, who is visiting in California.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Ruby A. Winchenbach, widow of the late Capt. Augustus Winchenbach, were observed Tuesday afternoon at her late home conducted by Rev. Mr. Rev. C. Butterfield. Mrs. Winchenbach had lived to the advanced age of 87 years, and was highly respected in the community where she has always resided. She is survived by two daughters, one son and two grandchildren who have the sympathy of their many friends in their bereavement.

OLENCOVE

The Street Railway Co. received a cargo of sand from Newburyport, Mass., at their pier last week.

Mrs. Fred Philbrook of Matineus was a guest of Mrs. S. P. Lufkin, Wednesday and Thursday.

C. M. Milberry will lead the meeting at the school-house again next Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Lufkin has entered the employ of the D. P. Ordway Plaster Co. in Camden.

The Sunday school will have a Christmas tree this year as usual.

To check a cold quickly, get from your druggist some little Candy Cold Tablets called Preventives. Druggists everywhere are now dispensing Preventives, for they are not only safe, but decidedly certain and prompt. Preventives contain no Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh nor sickening. Taken at the "onset stage" Preventives will prevent Pneumonia, Bronchitis, La Grippe, etc. Hence the name, Preventives. Good for feverish children. 48 Preventives 25 cents. Trial Boxes 5 cts. Sold by all

ROCKPORT

Mrs. Emma Griffith and daughter Eleanor of Rockland, were in town Friday.

Capt. A. H. Linnell is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mathews of Briercliffe Manor, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. Mathews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lovejoy.

Rev. Robert Sutcliffe of Rockland addressed the meeting for men and boys at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Samuel Tibbets of Camden rendered a violin solo.

Mrs. Genie Lafollet has been ill at her home on La street.

The Twentieth Century Club will be entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. W. A. Libby at her home, Ambsbury Hill.

Thos. Spear, who has been spending his vacation in town, has resumed his studies at the University of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Libby Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Ripley and daughter Lintheil, left yesterday for a week's visit with relatives in Boston and vicinity.

A game of basketball was played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday evening between Camden High School and Rockport High School. The game was 21-15 in favor of Rockport.

Mrs. Hulda Andrews died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. P. Shepherd, yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Dunbar was the guest of Mrs. A. F. Stahl in Warren, Sunday.

O. A. Wellman is making repairs on his residence, Beech Hill.

The Fred A. Norwood Relief Corps spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Barlow. Music was the principal feature of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served.

A show was given Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ott Thursday evening at their home on Central street. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Fannie Ott, Earle Sylvester of Stonington and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young of Vinalhaven. Mr. and Mrs. Ott showed their appreciation of the show by the delightful hospitality in which they entertained their guests, and by the bountiful refreshments which they served.

The first Members' Social of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held Wednesday evening. There will be a literary and musical program and refreshments will be served.

W. A. Holman and daughter Dorothy were in Rockland, Sunday.

A CRAZY MAN.

Found Eating an Egg, Shell and All—People Are Amazed.

A crazy man was recently found eating an egg-shell and all and it was declared additional proof of his insanity. Everyone realizes that the shell of an egg has no food value, and is both indigestible and injurious. It is just as crazy for a sane person to swallow a lot of cod liver oil to get the benefit of the medicinal elements contained therein, as for the crazy man to eat the egg, shell and all.

Scientists agree that the oil or greasy part of cod liver oil has no medicinal value whatever, and only upsets the digestive elements of cod liver oil, but it is the medicinal elements enveloped in the cod's livers and their oil which represent all the tonic and curative power of that famous old remedy.

Vinol contains all the medicinal, curative elements of cod liver oil, but is entirely free from oil, and is therefore, the best strength creator and tonic reconstructer possible to obtain.

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Vinol is unexcelled to restore health and create strength for run down, debilitated, tired, overworked people, old people, weak women, nursing mothers, young people, invalids, convalescents, or people suffering with "soil fertility," hacking coughs, ineffectual consumption and bronchitis. Try it. If it fails we will return your money. Cyrus W. Hills, Druggist, Rockland. Vinol is also sold by the G. I. Robinson Drug Co., Thomaston.

GRANGE.

School in district No. 8 began Monday, Dec. 2 with Mildred V. Dunton as teacher.

Everett L. Hills and Lewis Fenwick have sent a car load of potatoes to parties in Massachusetts.

L. E. Pitcher has started work in his saw mill.

A. C. Burgess of Belfast has completed repairs on his summer residence at Pitcher Pond. He has also built a nice stable for horses and to accommodate an automobile. A. I. H. Pitcher has had charge of the work.

The successful deer hunters of Lincolnville, as far as we have heard, are Leigh Richards, Eugene Dunton, Roy Hurd and Ernest Young.

A letter has just been received from Cora B. Hills of Antioch, California, in which she writes: "We are planting trees in our yard, lemon and palm, etc. There are roses of all kinds in bloom; hosts of geraniums which bloom the year round. I have picked figs, lemons and oranges, and also the blossoms. The oranges are at their best in January. Many kinds of flowers flourish here. The kind we have fostered in flower pots to coax a few blossoms, grow here over verandas covered with great clusters of pink blossoms." She sent a few pieces of sage brush which she picked on the plains of Nevada. Its color reminds us of the plant known as "Dusty Miller."

Danger In Asking Advice

When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. C. H. Pendleton, Druggist and Optician, and W. H. Kittredge, Druggist.

STONINGTON.

Lovers of dancing should not forget the evening ball at the hotel in Stonington, Saturday night, Dec. 14 and in Deer Isle, Wednesday night, Dec. 11. The Stonington Band of 15 pieces will furnish music. Three cash prizes will be given in each town. C. U. Russ is the promoter of these dances.

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WALDOBORO

The Waldoboro Grange presented in Clark's hall, Thursday evening, the drama, "Our Folks," to a good house. The cast of characters was as follows:

Capt. Thompson, a retired shipmaster, J. E. White
Harry Thompson, his son, Harold D. Perry
Capt. Sleeper, a retired Californian, Walter H. Buggs
Teddy Sleeper, his son, Maynard Kuhn
Hiram Small, a mill owner, J. W. Palmer
Phil, Capt. Thompson's man of all work, Frank A. Perry

Mrs. Thompson, good old gold, Emma M. Johnston
Mrs. Sleeper, hoping against hope, Mrs. Cora B. Nash
Becky Sleeper, the tomboy, Lottie J. Graham

Hulda Prime, full of complaints, Mrs. Grace K. Perry
Silly York, slipshod but willing, Miss Althea M. Benner

For amateurs the entire company acquitted themselves with much credit. The play was followed by an enjoyable social dance with music by Sprague's Orchestra. Receipts were \$55.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brown returned from Boston, Thursday.

Annual election of officers of Post and Corps next Saturday.

Dr. John B. Deaver, Waldoboro's distinguished summer resident, was in Portland, Thursday, where he read a paper before the Cumberland County Medical Association, on "Gall Stones and Bladder Troubles." About 100 physicians and surgeons were in attendance.

Dr. John B. Deaver is one of the most eminent surgeons in the United States. He is the surgeon-in-chief to the German hospital and has been an instructor in the University of Pennsylvania medical department. He is surgeon to the Children's Philadelphia, St. Agnes, St. Timothy and St. Michael's hospitals of Philadelphia. He is also the author of a surgical anatomy in three volumes, "Appendicitis, Its History, Pathology, Treatment."

The ladies of the Methodist society held their fair in Clark's hall this Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Pease are spending the winter in Castine.

Miss Frances Achorn is clerking for S. S. Winslow.

A. M. Miller, recently with the Golding Manufacturing Co., Boston, has accepted the position of head bookkeeper in charge of the office of The Porter Whidden Co., plate and sheet iron workers, 142 Meridian street, East Boston.

A farmers' institute will be held in Grand Army hall, Waldoboro, Wednesday, Dec. 11, at 1.30 and 7.30 p. m. "Dairying," "Fruit Culture," "Stock Raising and Feeding," "Soil Fertility," "Opportunities for Young Men in Agriculture" and other subjects of special interest to farmers will be discussed. Among the speakers will be Prof. C. L. Beach, Agricultural Experiment Station, Burlington, Vt., and Prof. F. W. Card, Sylvania, Pa. The topics presented will be open for general discussion.

Rufus Benner, an aged farmer, was found dead in his barn floor at West Waldoboro Friday afternoon. A wound on his head indicated either a fall from the hay loft or apoplexy.

Waldoboro merchants are displaying Christmas goods and some of the windows will be hit with a new attraction.

The mild weather is much appreciated. Nothing has developed in the shoe factory business.

UNION

Mrs. C. A. G. Simmons, who has been seriously ill, is rapidly recovering. Mrs. D. Benner of Belfast is caring for her.

The Jacobs and Linscott hay press has been at work around town this week, pressing hay for G. W. Batchelder, C. A. Simmons, D. M. Cole and Fred Alden.

The Rebecca fair held Dec. 5, was a decided success. Nearly everything was disposed of and about \$40 realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matthews of Warren and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Simmons of Rockland were at C. A. Simmons', Sunday.

In Social Circles

The family of Capt. John Rogers of St. John, N. B. are to make Rockland their place of residence. At present Mrs. Rogers and her five children are with Capt. Rogers' sister, Mrs. Alvah Staples, T street.

Miss Mabel Trainor is making a short visit in Camden, previous to resuming her studies at Farmington Normal School.

Mrs. Sarah Jackson, Washington street has returned home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jane Rice, at Morse's Corner.

Edward Alden of Union returned to his home Friday after a visit with his uncle, Frank Alden, Leland street.

Harold G. Cole left Saturday for Woodstock, N. B., his former home, where he will again become a resident. He has been employed in The Courier-Gazette office, since the death of his wife, which resulted in the breaking up of his home in Cushing.

Mrs. George B. Clark of Crescent Beach is visiting Mrs. Peter Gray in Philadelphia and Mrs. Kirke Harwood in New York.

Miss Mary Waterman has gone to South Thomaston, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Della Kennedy of Waldoboro is visiting at Capt. B. R. Simmons', Willow street.

Maurice Hill is home from Bowdoin on account of illness. Fred Black spent Sunday at home. Scribner Hyler arrives the last of the week and will be employed at J. F. Gregory & Son's during the holiday rush.

Dr. Woodside is quite seriously ill at his home on Middle street.

Dr. Eben Alden and wife leave Saturday for Fruitland Park, Fla., where they will spend the winter. Frank H. Whitney and wife leave for the same resort Dec. 26. Both gentlemen have cottages there, and Dr. Alden has quite a large orange grove.

Miss Alena Young returned from Harrington last week. She has just completed a successful term as teacher of the high school.

Robert W. Messer is home from Bowdoin on account of ill health.

Robert Thornton and wife, who have been spending the past fortnight in Boston and vicinity, have returned home.

Mrs. John W. Thomas is spending the week in Boston.

Mrs. A. D. Smith of Owl's Head and Mrs. Maud Simmons of New York, whose guest she has been the past summer, arrived here the last of the week, called by the illness of their mother, whose condition has been quite serious since her recent illness.

Miss Goldie Cleveland, leading lady of the Fenberg Stock Co., was the guest Sunday of her cousin, Mrs. Ralph B. Loring.

Walter Sellers has returned to his home on Vinalhaven. He has been the guest of Miss Florence Kaler, Bunker street.

Miss Mabel Dorgan was given a surprise Saturday afternoon at her home by a few of her friends in honor of her 11th birthday. Music and games were enjoyed, after which a nice lunch was served. Miss Mabel was the recipient of many pretty presents.

Mrs. George H. Reed of Brewer is visiting her friends in this city.

Theodore Snow left last night for the Pacific coast. He will spend the next few weeks in Manitou, Colorado, where his wife, and his aunt, Miss Lavinia Snow are stopping.

Everett Green is home from Bates college for the holidays.

PORTER-MARSHALL.

One of the prettiest home weddings of the season occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Marshall of Port Clyde, Wednesday evening, Nov. 27, when their daughter, Alice Belle, was united in marriage to Russell William Porter, formerly of Springfield, Vt.

The impressive ring service was performed by Dr. A. W. Taylor of Rockland. They were attended by Ethel B. Marshall, sister of the bride as maid of honor and George Hill of Malden, Mass., as best man.

At 8 o'clock the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played by Miss Lina L. Marshall, cousin of the bride, and stood beneath an arch of evergreen and red berries lighted by fairy lights and on a polar bear fur rug presented to the groom by the Ziegler Polar Expedition of which he was a member.

The bride was becomingly gowned in white crepe de chine and carried white bride's roses. The maid of honor wore blue silk muslin and carried pink roses.

The rooms were prettily decorated with evergreens, berries, potted plants and cut flowers.

They received many beautiful presents including cut glass, silver, and over one hundred dollars in money. The groom's gift to the bride was a fifty dollar check.

Among the guests present from out of town were Frank Porter of Springfield, Mass., brother of the groom, Dr. Chas. Smith of Stoughton, Mass., and Miss Margaret E. Perry of Rockland.

The bride is one of Port Clyde's most esteemed young women and for some time past has served as a pianist, during which time she formed many firm friends.

The groom has been seven times in the Arctic regions and made several trips into Alaska. He is at present still a member of several Arctic clubs.

They left that night for a trip through Massachusetts and Vermont, but will be at home at Land's End, Port Clyde, after January first.

Their many friends in this place wish them many years of happy wedded life.

A rummage sale will be held at 421 Main street opposite Limerock street, opening Thursday and continuing Friday and Saturday, afternoon and evenings.

FOLLOW THE OLD DOCTOR'S ADVICE

A well known physician says in regard to colds: During this cold blustery weather when the majority of persons are not warmly enough dressed to ward off the cold, I find that gripe and pneumonia can be avoided by the use of a very simple and inexpensive remedy. I have used this preparation with most excellent results.

Take one ounce Syrup Squill, 1 oz. syrup licorice, 1 ounce Peppermint Compound and 3 ounces Syrup Tolu. Mix and take a teaspoonful every 3 or 4 hours until relieved.

This preparation may be put up for you at any drug store, or you can mix the simple ingredients and mix your own.

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The balance of our Season's Trimmed Hats at \$1.98, 2.98, 3.49 formerly sold at \$5.00, 6.00 and 7.00

UNTRIMMED FELT HATS at 25c, 49c and 69c marked down from 75c, \$1.50 and \$2.25

RIBBONS . . . 9c, 17c and 25c marked down from 15c, 38c and 42c

ROSES . . . 25c and 49c former price 50c and 75c

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"THE JAPANESE GIRL"

Brilliant Musical Performance Given By Ladies of Rubinstein Club.

A wonderfully artistic as well as musical success was that achieved by the ladies of the Rubinstein Club, Friday evening, in their rendition of the opera of "The Japanese Girl." Mrs. A. J. Bird was the hostess of the occasion and her pretty home on Camden street was rendered fourfold beautiful by extensive decorations, transforming the entire first floor of the house into an entrancing Japanese bower. Lanterns, fans, screens and a bewildering variety of other objects peculiar to the oriental scheme of decoration as interpreted by the western mind, combined to produce a scene such as gave the greatest delight to the guests, who to the number of about 75 were favored with invitations to this open meeting of the club, the number being arbitrarily fixed by the seating capacity of the room set apart to the performance. The first part of the evening was occupied in the reception of guests, who being admitted by Miss Nettie Bird and Master Richard Fuller, in bright Japanese costumes, were shown to dressing rooms, after which tea and confections were partaken of. Mrs. D. N. Mortland presided, and was assisted by Japanese maidens, all the members of the club not taking stage parts being appropriately costumed, which was a very pretty idea, giving completeness to the occasion as a Japanese evening.

In the dining-room the audience was seated, the adjoining conservatory admirably providing a stage, which was beautifully set with plants, lanterns, etc. The opera, which was an hour and a half in performing, had this cast:

O Hanu San.....Mrs. Grace Armstrong
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The opera is exceedingly tuneful and pretty. Quoting from the "argument" printed on the program:

"The first act opens by a number of Japanese girls visiting O Hanu San, a young Japanese beauty, who is about to celebrate her eighteenth birthday, regarded in Japan as the coming of age.

In the second act, two American girls, who are touring in Japan with their governess for education and pleasure, are impelled by curiosity to enter the garden of O Hanu San. The Japanese girls returning resent the intrusion of foreigners and awake the governess who has fallen asleep and pretend not to understand her explanation. O Hanu San comes to her rescue and invites the Americans to remain as her guests. It is a Japanese custom when a near relative is absent from home to leave behind a singing bird, growing plant or young tree as his substitute."

This gives only a slight idea of the gracefulness and charm of the story as it was told in song by the beautifully costumed ladies.

Mrs. Lillian Jones and Miss Edith Webb were finely sung, as was also Mrs. Bird's serenade in Esperanto, sung by Mrs. Katherine Andrews. The audience was generous with its applause, which the ladies sang and acted, supplemented by the beautiful stage pictures, amply deserved.

The orchestra added greatly to the success of the performance, playing with smoothness and finish. It consisted of Miss Faith Greenhalgh, piano; W. F. Tibbets, flute; Miss Mary Jordan, violin; T. Jenness French, cello.

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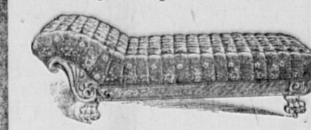
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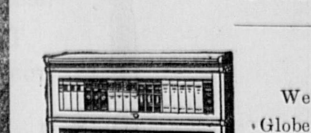
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One of the best comedy dramas seen here this season will be "A Good Fellow," which will come to the Farwell opera house on Thursday, Dec. 26.

UNCLE JOSH PERKINS.

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THE TRAIN ROBBERS.

The sensational drama, "The Train Robbers" will be the attraction at the Farwell opera house on Thursday, Dec. 19.

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Local theatre goers who failed to see "The Isle of Bong Bong" last season should surely see this great musical comedy next Friday night, Dec. 13, as all who saw it last season pronounced it to be one of the best musical attractions of the season. The songs are all new, catchy and strictly up to the minute. Among them are: "Oh, the Deuce," "My Uncle Sam," "I Like You Too," "What's the Use," "Ask the Man," the original dramatic romance, "San Antonio," and the spectacular Indian serenade, "Heap Love." Seats on sale Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Telephone 30.

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The Invincibles played with their old time vigor but found worthy opponents in the Rockport team who covered well and seemed to have great skill in throwing for goal.

The "Volunteers" did good work considering the fact that this was their first attempt at basketball. They held the Intermediates down to a small score, the game closing by the score standing 17 to 4 in favor of the "Intermediates." Following was the lineup: Invincibles. Rockport 1st. Gay, rf. Crone Marshall, lf. Grant Philbrick, c. Collamore Hall, rb. rb, Stewart Trainer, lb. lb, Spear Score, Rockland 40, Rockport 34. Goals from floor, Gay 6, Philbrick 6, Crone 5, Grant 5, Marshall 2, Hall 2, Collamore 2, Trainer 1, Stewart 1. Goals from fouls, Philbrick 6, Stewart 4. Umpire, Sullivan. Referee, Whittier. Scorer, Bicknell. Time, two 20 minute halves.

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